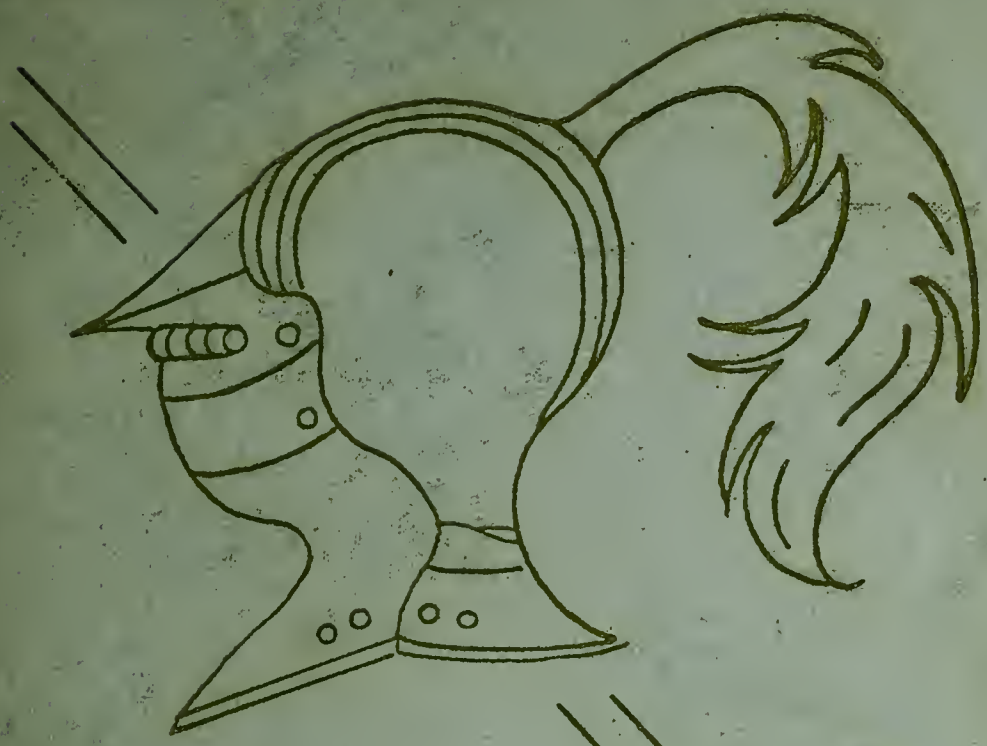

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ANNALEE CLOUD

We Dedicate

In recognition of their loyal devotion to the teaching profession, their unwavering patience in dealing with student problems, and in view of her generous participation in school activities and his outstanding achievements in the field of agriculture, we, the senior class of 1954, proudly dedicate this Black and Gold to our friends and sponsors, Annalee Cloud and R. Hugh Caughell.

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Journalism Class

Standing: Shirley Bright, Dwight Crouch, Lynn Beck, Arthur Baker, Judy Sicks, Gerald Trice, Bill Gaddis, Marlene Dauenhauer, Phyllis Scott, Marlene Yale, Mr. Wood, Phillip Eastburn, John Leming; Seated: Linda Roth, Rex Buller, Eddine Lawson, Jim Mitchener.

The Journalism Class of 1953-54 takes great pleasure in presenting this year's annual.

The art department under the direction of Mrs. Kessler, did the art work for the book. The student artists were Loretta Price, Jim Mitchener, Phil Eastburn, Lester Stamps, Jim Cromer, Earl Cruea, Dawnetta Dunham, Pat McCormick, Carolyn Small, Marilyn Small, Buss Williams, Charles Thomas, and Janet Lamb.

In addition to preparing the Black and Gold, the Journalism class published The Breeze, our weekly school paper.

BLACK AND GOLD STAFF

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The Black and Gold
presents a
chronicle of life
and chivalry within
the fortress walls
of Fairmount
High for the year
1953-54
David Moore

F. Stanton Galey

F. Stanton Galey, in his 30 years in the Fairmount school system, has proved to be a very capable school man. Mr. Galey has acted as Superintendent for 25 years. During these years the citizens of the community as well as the students have developed a high respect for his integrity and leadership. Well qualified for his position, Mr. Galey received his A. B. at Purdue in 1916, his M. A. at Indiana University in 1936, and has attended both state teachers colleges.

Fairmount

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JOE W. PAYNE, President of Town Board

CHARLES NICHOLSON, President of Joint Board

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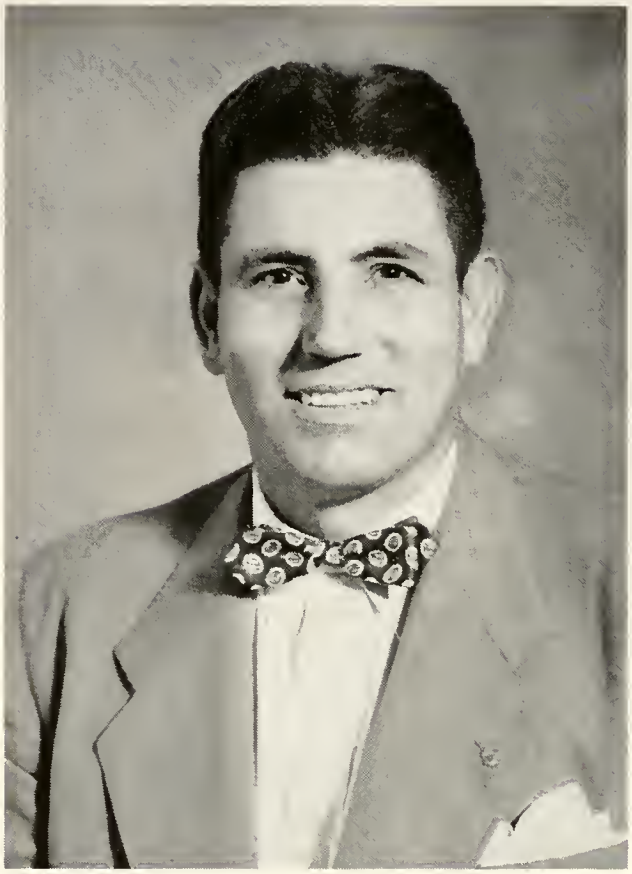
Roland L. DuBois

Roland L. DuBois, a true administrator of fair play and discipline, has completed his sixth year as Principal of Fairmount High School. Mr. DuBois has constantly endeavored to direct the school's administration toward the needs of the individual. His academic achievements include a B. S. degree in Education from Manchester College in 1934 and an M. A. from Indiana University in 1940.



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Football Coach, Social Science
Second Year at F. H. S.

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Physical Education, Health, Safety, Home Ec. 8
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Third Year at F. H. S.

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M. A. Indiana University
Jr. High Mathematics
First Year at F. H. S.

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Vocational Home Economics
Seventh Year at F. H. S.

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M. A. Syracuse University
Mathematics
Third year at F. H. S.

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B. S. Indiana University
Art Supervisor
Second year at F. H. S.

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Vocational Agriculture
Tenth Year at F. H. S.

JANE HALL
B. S. Purdue University
Psychology, English, Citizenship, and Vocations
First Year at F. H. S.

JAMES ROTH
B. S. Drake University
Social Studies, Physical Education
Basketball Coach
Second year at F. H. S.

FITZHUGH LEE
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M. S. Butler University
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First year at F. H. S.

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Social Studies
Twenty-sixth year at F. H. S.

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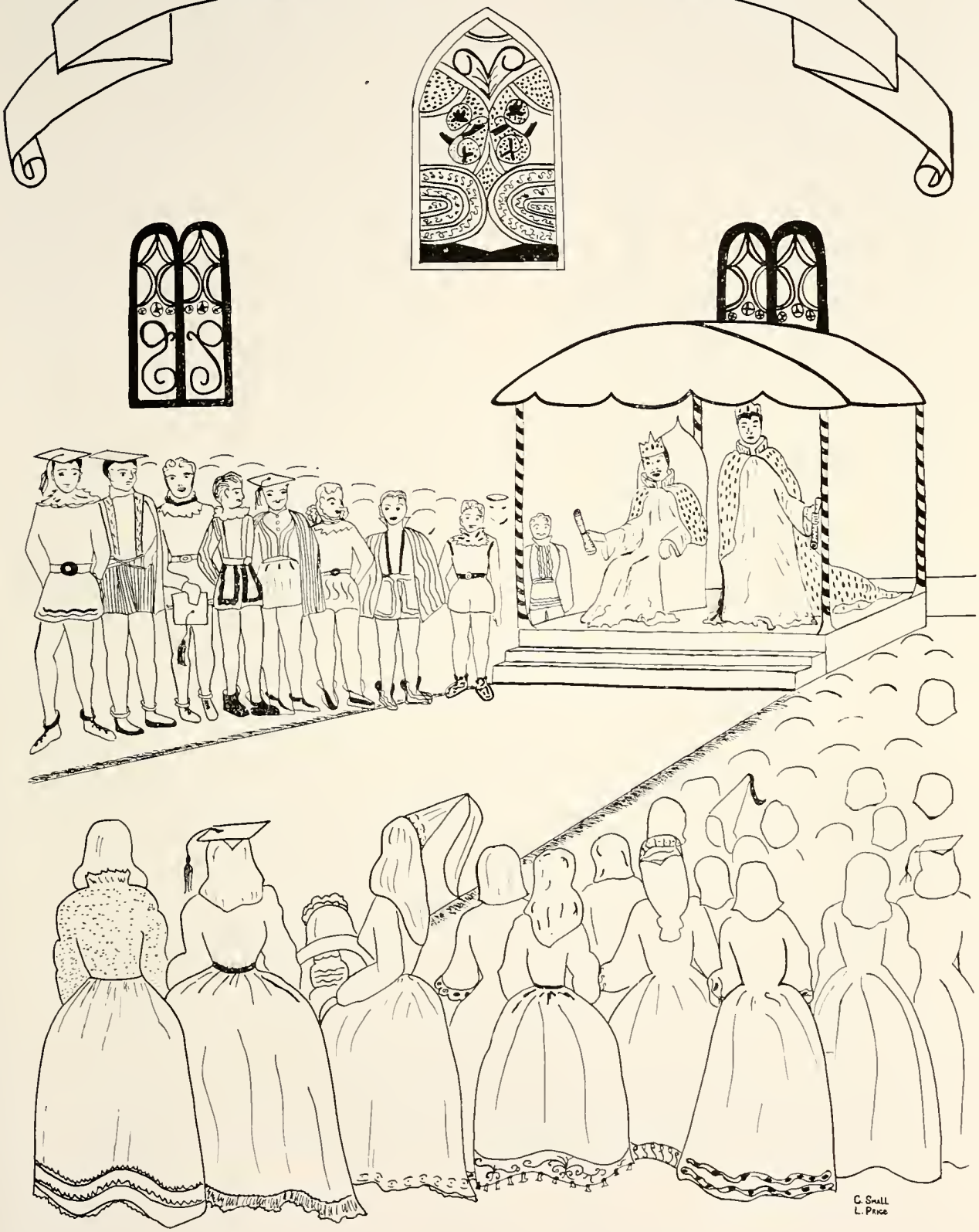

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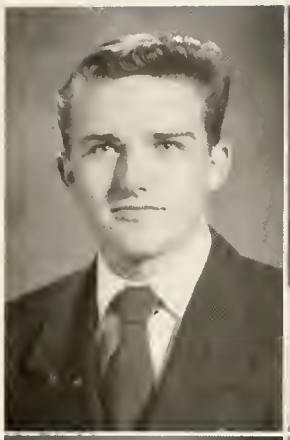

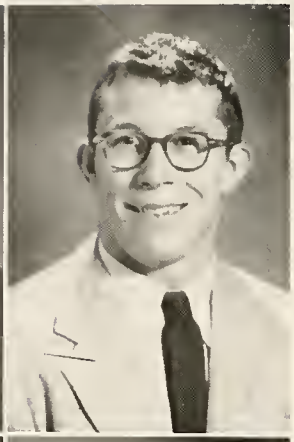

DOYTE MARVIN SMALLEY—I. S. P.

Doyte was a boy with lots of appeal,
As Class President, he was a big wheel.

President of Senior Class; Class Officer 1, 3; Student Council 2; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Thespians 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Plays 1, 2, 3, 4; Service Club 4; Speech Club 4; Dance Club 4.

MARY AGNES PARTRIDGE—Aggie

Here was a gal the guys had to avoid,
Because they all knew she belonged to Lloyd.

Secretary of Senior Class; Class Officer 1; Student Council 2; Choir 1, 3.

REX DALE BULLER —MORT

When Mort wasn't busy editing the Breeze,
He was looking around for some girls to tease.

Vice President of Senior Class; Class Officer 1, 2; Student Council 1, 3; Class Plays 2, 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Cross Country 1, 2; Football 3, 4; F-Club 3, 4; Projectionist 1; Dance Club 3, 4; American Legion Award 1; Regional Track Meet 3; District VI F. F. A. Secretary 4; Quill and Scroll 4.

EDDINE MARIE LAWSON —Eddie

Musical, intelligent, popular lass,
Eddine was a leader of her class.

Treasurer of Senior Class; Class Officer 1, 2, 3; Student Council 3; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Thespians 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Class Plays 2, 3; Debate Club 3, 4; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2; Co-ed Service Club 4; Speech Club 4; Girls' State 3; D. A. R. Award 4; Quill and Scroll 4.

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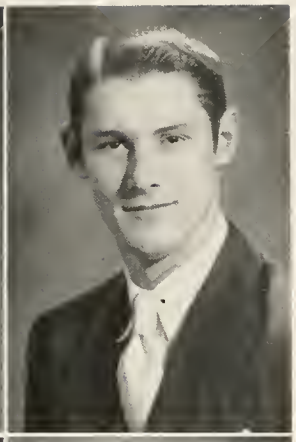
EVELYN ELIZABETH ADAMS—Eve

Reliable student, a trait that impresses,
Distinguished Evelyn, as did her long tresses.

Historian of Senior Class; Librarian 3, 4; Prayer Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2; Class Plays 1.



JAMES LEE MITCHENER —Little Moe

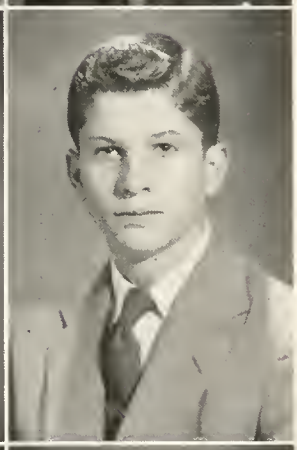
In art we considered Jim very good,
But he did even better on the hardwood.

Social Chairman 4; Class Officer 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; F-Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Co-ed Service Club 4.

JUDITH SUZANNE SICKS —Jude

Considerate, concerned, and responsible too,
Made friendships for Judy both loyal and true.

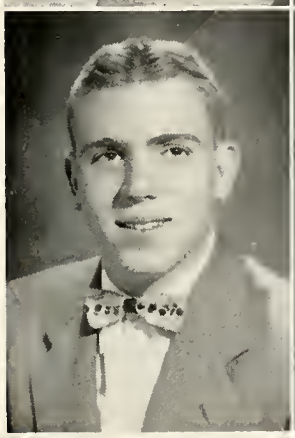
Social Chairman 4; Class Officer 2, 3; Student Council 1; Honor Society 3, 4; Thespians 4; Class Plays 2, 3; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Band 1; Choir 3; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girl Scouts 1; Dance Club 2, 3; Speech Club 4; Girls' State 3; Quill and Scroll 4; Senior Play 4.



DWIGHT WILLIS CROUCH—Cricket

Pleasant versatile, with athletic talent,
Willy's behavior was usually gallant.

Student Council 3, 4; Class Officer 1,2; Track 2,3; Baseball 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; F - Club 4; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; Boy Scouts 2, 3; Class Plays 2, 3; Dance Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Speech Club 4; Music Club 3; Co-ed Service Club 4; Senior Play 4; Honor Society 4.



ROBERT LEE HAYES —Hazy

Here was a lad who could turn on the charm,
Especially so with a gal on his arm.

Student Council 4; Dramatics 4; Class Plays 2; Track 3, 4; Football 4; F-Club 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Projectionist 1, 2; Speech Club 4; Co-ed Service Club 4; Senior Play 4.

LINDA LOU ROTH —Little LuLu

Five feet two with eyes of blue,
She said what she thought, and she knew what she knew.

Student Council 4; Class Officer 2, 3; Dramatics 4; Thespians 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 2; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Choir 3; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Co-ed Service Club 4; Speech Club 4; Girls' State 3; Quill and Scroll 4; Senior Play 4.

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ARTHUR LYNN BAKER —Bud

Art loved to get settled in a nice cozy nook
Where his brain could absorb a good science book.

Librarian 2, 3, 4; Projectionist 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 2; Debate Club 2; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; 4-H Club 1; Class Play 2; Quill and Scroll 4.

SHIRLEY FAYE BRIGHT —Shural

Shirley is seventh and last of a line
To attend Fairmount High, our school so fine.

Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 3; Breeze Staff, 4; Black and Gold 4; Class Plays 2, 3; Music Club 1, 3; Dance Club 1, 2, 3; Senior Play 4.

LARRY BEHR—Ernie

A happy school life almost always depends
On one thing Larry had, and that is true friends.

CATHERINE LOU CARL —Kate

Kate and Verlin made a nice pair,
Every noon in Study Hall, they'd be there.

Librarian 4; Prayer Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

MARY LYNN BECK—Beak

Lynn was part of a cheerleading trio,
And she frequently dated a basketball hero.

Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class officer 1, 2; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; American Legion Award 1; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Breeze staff 4; Black and Gold 4; 4-H Club 1; Class Plays 2, 3; Freshmen Cheer Leader; Varsity Cheer Leader 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. District President 4; Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Prom Chairman 3.
Chairman 3; Honor Society 4; Senior Play 4; Quill and Scroll 4.

JOE BLAKE—Jo-Jo

Quick on the rebound, a pass he could fake,
This sharp-shooting Quaker was known as Joe Blake.

Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 1, 2; F-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Co-ed Service Club 4.

JOY BETHAY—Joy

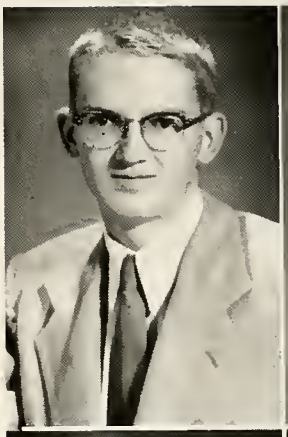
Joy's a classmate new to all,
She came from Arkansas in the fall.

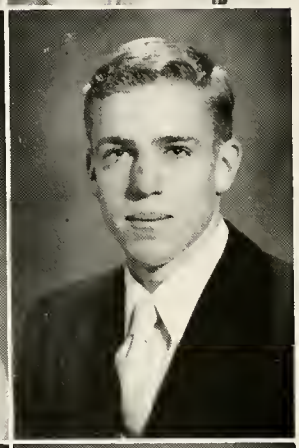
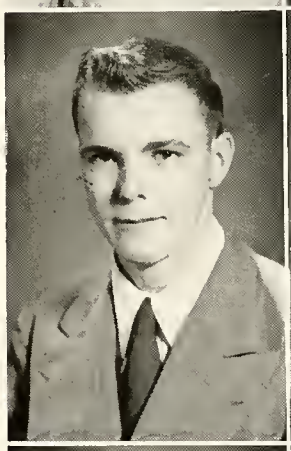
Dance Club 4; Concord, Arkansas 1, 2, 3; Senior Play 4.

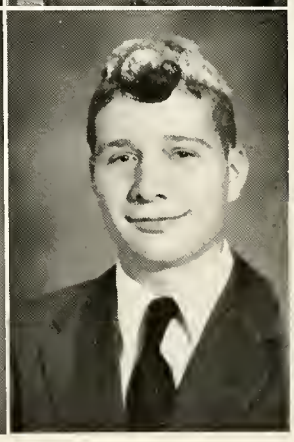
JAMES WARD BROYLES —Jim

Jim is quiet as he can be,
But quiet men often make history.

Boy Scouts 1, 2; Dance Club 4.





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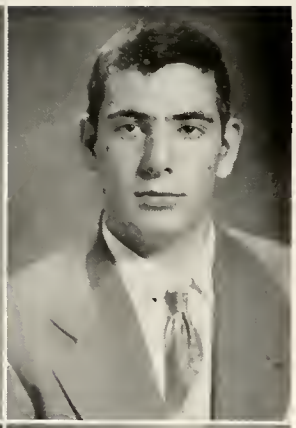
MARILYN ANNE DEETER —Sis

In her cute little head one idea endured;
It concerned riding around in a Convertible Ford.

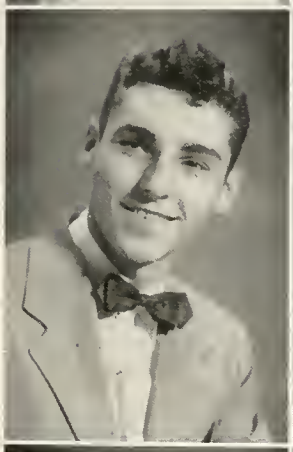
Swayzee High School 1, 2.



JIM DRAPER—Art

Fun-loving and witty this senior, too,
Was a valuable member of Roth's varsity crew.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club President 4; Class play 2; Dance Club 3; F-Club 4.



PHILLIP BARNEY EASTBURN—Barney

Dapper Phil Eastburn as you will recall,
In his Chevy around many corners did squall.

Basketball 1, 3; Cross Country 1; Class officer 1, 2, 3; F.F.A. 1, 2; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; F.F.A. Basketball 2; Dance Club 3,4; Captain of Magazine Sales 4.

DIANA NALL DALE —Deed

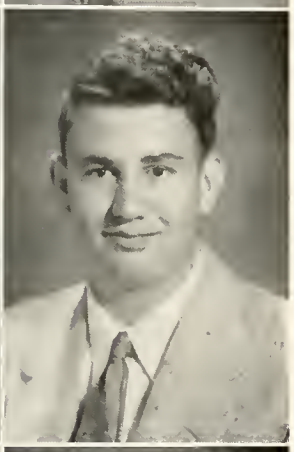
In band D. D. was a flute tooter,
In Booster Club, a B. B. rooter.

G.A.A. Basketball 2, 3, 4; Girls Volleyball 2; Girls' Softball 2, 3; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 4; Office 4; Flute Solo Contest 2; F.H.A. 3, 4; Thespians 4; Y-Teens 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Plays 2, 3; Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4.

MARLENE SUE DAUENHAUER—Susie

Marlene was cheerful, active, polite,
And made it a point to do her work right.

Librarian 2, 3; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Breeze Staff 4; Black & Gold 4; Class Plays 1, 2; Dance Club 2, 3.



CHARLES THOMAS GOSNELL—Gos

Charles was our biggest senior boy,
He wasn't a fake, but the real McCoy.

Librarian 4; Projectionist 1, 2, 3; Band 1; Boy Scouts 1; Football 3, 4.

WILLIAM RUSSELL GADDIS—Bill

Not only an athlete but also a scholar,
Bill's bound to succeed, I'll betcha a dollar.

Track 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; Honor Society 3, 4; F-Club 4; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; Co-ed Service Club 4; Football 3, 4; Dance Club 2,3,4; Speech Club 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Senior Play 4.

PHYLLIS EILEEN HOWELL—Phil

Attractive, modest, courteous, sweet;
Her personality was quite complete.

Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 3; 4-H Club 1; Cafeteria I, 2, 3; Senior Play 4.

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JACK WILBUR HOLLOWAY—Jack

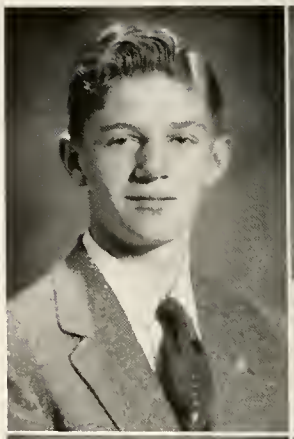
Here was a kid with a rare nick-name,
Within our class it won him fame.

Prayer Band 1, 2; Pest Contest 1; Essay Contest 1, 2, 3; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; Science Club 4.

ALICE LORETTA KELLER—Alice

Here's a gal who could get around
But mostly at the show she was found.

Librarian 3; Y-Teens 2; Class Plays 2, 3; F. H. A. 3, 4; Senior Play 4



LORETTA LEE PRICE —Letty

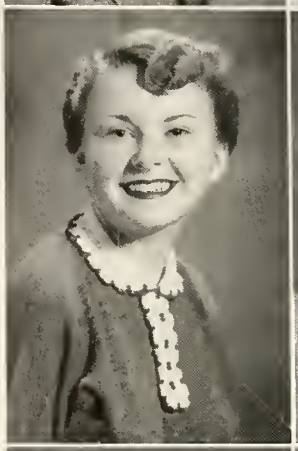
Freckled and pretty, boy-charmer as well
Loretta had talent for leading a yell.

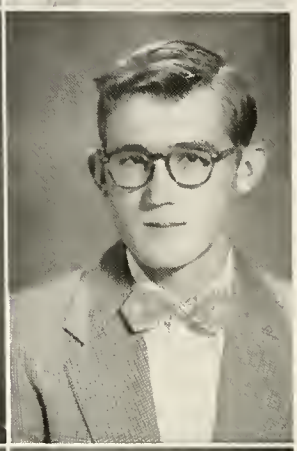
Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 2; Girls' Softball 2; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 4; 4-H Club 1; Girl Scouts 1; Class Plays 2, 3; Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Co-ed Service Club 4; Varsity Cheer Leader 4; Senior Play 4.

HARLAN ARTHUR HAISLEY—Hotrod

Harlan lived out west, but not very far;
He was a cute kid with a hopped-up car.

Track 1, 2; F.F.A. Basketball 1, 2; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Class Plays 3; Dance Club 2, 3.





LOWELL ALLEN KIERSTEAD—Ale

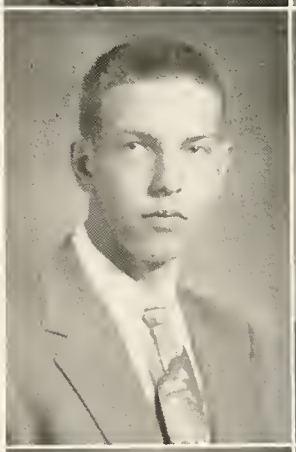
Lowell's not interested in college tuition;
The Navy is his chief ambition.

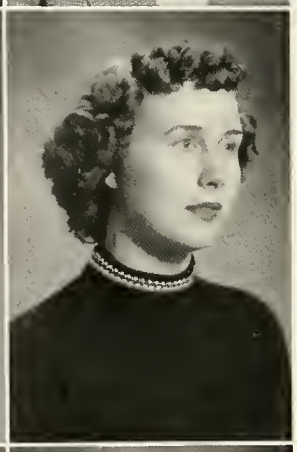
Basketball 1; Cross Country 2, 3; F-Club 2, 3.

DALE RICHARDS—Rich

Her quiet ways and friendly smile
Made her the type that's always in style.

Booster Club 1, 2, 3; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3.





JOSEPHINE ROY—Josie

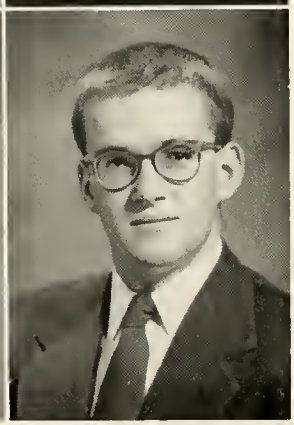
Josephine, Josie, or just plain Jo;
She was a mighty fine girl to know.

Dance Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Club 1, 2, 3.

JOHN HOWARD LEMING —John

Football — talking — driving a Lincoln;
That was John, to our way of thinkin'.

Track 3, 4; Dramatics 4; Thespians 4; Band 1, 3; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F-Club 4; Class Plays 2, 3; Football 3, 4; Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Co-ed Service Club 4; Music Club 3; Quill and Scroll 4; Senior Play 4.



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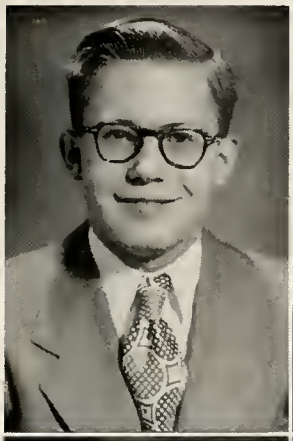
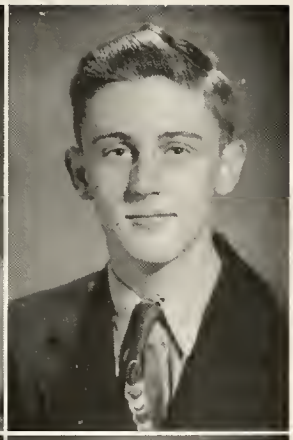




DAVID MOORE—David

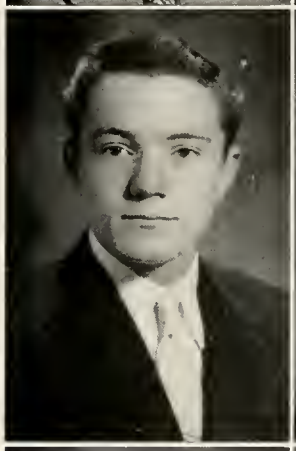
Mrs. Kessler helped David
to get a good start
On a very successful career
in art.

Art Club 4; Football 3, 4; McCulloch Jr. High 1; Eastern High (Howard) 2.

ROBERT JOSEPH PLUE —Lightning

His Chevrolet Bob thought
was a honey;
No other car was worth the
money.

F.R.A. 1, 2, 3; Boy Scouts 1; Class Plays 2.



CHARLES ROBERT SKINNER—Bud

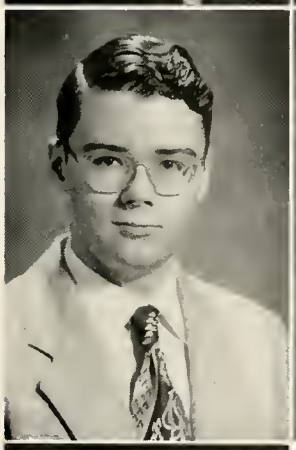
In manner he often pretended wildness,
When around Shirley, he
was chuck full of mildness.

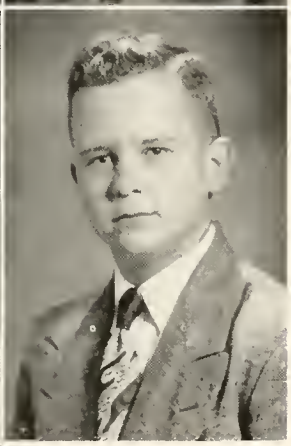
Class officer 1; Dance Club 2, 3, 4.

CHARLES ELLICK THOMAS—Charles

Charles T. was a hard working lad
That seldom or ever got
very mad.

Track 2, 3; Projectionist 1, 2, 3.





GERALD EASTES TRICE —Gerald

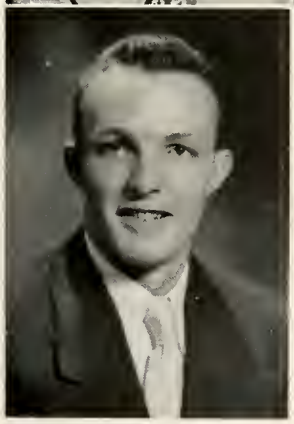
Well-behaved and a student
of note—
If he'd only talked more,
we'd have something to
quote.

Librarian 3, 4; Projectionist 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold; Boy Scouts 1; Class Play 1; Quill and Scroll 4.

BENJAMIN UNDERWOOD —Ben

Though cars are his hobby,
let it never be said
He practiced at driving
when the light was red.

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Boy Scouts 1, 2.



CLYDE DEAN WILLIAMS —Buss

Here is a fellow that was on
the beam,
A reasonable facsimile of
every girl's dream.

Track 1, 2; Baseball 1; Class Officer 1; F-Club 2, 3, 4; Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Co-ed Service Club 4; Football 3, 4.

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PHYLLIS STANLEY—Phyl

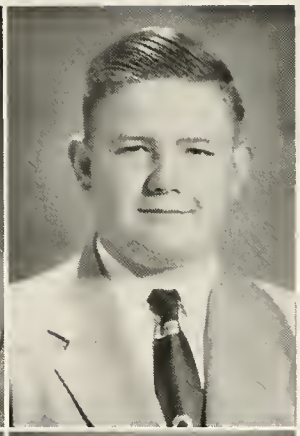
Phyllis is quiet and rather shy,
But she'll get over it by and by.

Prayer Band 1, 2, 4; Essay Contest 3.

JAMES ROBERT RICH —Jim

Good student, and worker, with good sense of humor
And especially good as a Breeze Booth consumer.

Projectionist 1, 2, 3; Pest contest 1, 2, 3, 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



FREDDIE JAY MARLEY —Bo-Bo

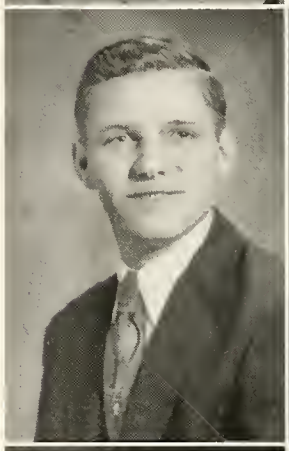
Some called him Freddie; others, Jay.
He was always friendly, either way.

Basketball 1; Marion High 2.

PHYLLIS MAE SCOTT —Red

This capable gal from the red-headed league
Did considerable work with little fatigue.

Booster Club 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; V.F.W. Auxiliary Essay 3; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Choir 3; Breeze Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Plays 2, 3; Dance Club 3; Music Club 2; Captain of Magazine Sales 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Honor Society 4; Senior Play 4.



VERA ARLENE SMITH —Vera

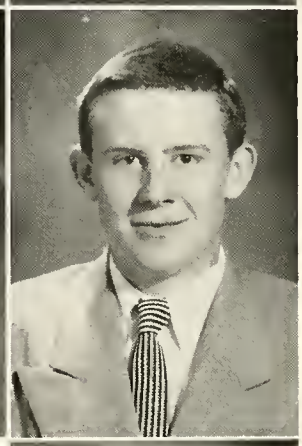
Saving her money to buy a car,
Vera has hopes of traveling far.

Librarian 4; Prayer Band 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2; Mississinewa High 1.

PHILLIP JAY SMITH —Mutt

Phil had a smile from ear to ear;
The kids all agreed he was fun to be near.

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Plays 2; Football 4; Co-ed Service Club 4; Dance Club 3, 4.



MARLENE W. YALE —Willie

Many people subscribed for a good magazine
Because of the salesmanship of Marlene.

Librarian 3, 4; Prayer Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Magazine Sales Winner 4; Y - Teens 2, 4; Breezer Staff 4; Black and Gold 4; Honor Society 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Senior Play 4

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SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

Leafing through the scrapbook of the class of '54, we came across some very interesting and amusing articles. On the first page we discovered the fact that we started off our freshman year with 72 students, but lost 14 during that first year. We surely were a large class then, and it's too bad that our membership had to dwindle so fast.

We also discovered some pictures and stories of several activities which we undertook that first year. A few of them included food sales, plastic towel sales, initiation, talent show, kid party, Fall Festival at which Jim Mitchener and Judy Sicks were our candidates for king and queen, and an apron special.

Our class officers were president, Marvin Smalley; vice-president, Buss Williams; secretary, Mary Agnes Partridge; treasurer, Eddine Lawson; social chairmen, Rex Buller and Mary Lynn Beck; historian, Linda Kerschner; student council representatives, Judy Sicks and Rex Buller. Our class sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Cloud.

Flipping on through the pages we came to the section entitled "Soph Year," which was also a time of activities and fun. During this year we had a penny supper, skating party, class parties, a Halloween party at Marlene Yale's, and our three class plays: Custer's Last Sit, Rising Flood, and Who Killed Ann Gage. The highlight of our sophomore year was ordering and receiving our class sweaters, which were navy blue with navy letters trimmed in burnt orange.

Marvin Smalley and Linda Kerschner were our king and queen candidates at the Fall Festival and our class sponsors were Mrs. Cloud and Mr. Caughell. The class officers for this year were president, Rex Buller; vice-president, Judy Sicks; secretary, Mary Lynn Beck; treasurer, Linda Kerschner; historian, Linda Roth; sergeant-at-arms, Jim Mitchner; social chairmen, Phil Eastburn and Phyllis Howell; student council representatives, Marvin Smalley and Mary Agnes Partridge.

We started our junior year off with a bang by ordering our long-awaited-for class rings which were, of course, (or at least we thought so) the best ones ever.

We also noticed on one of the scrapbook pages an article describing our new banking system. This was set up for the purpose of obtaining more funds for the senior trip.

A few other activities listed for this year were the Halloween Dance, at which Linda Roth was the junior candidate for queen, a skating party, bake sales, our play "Meet Corliss Archer", which was given in the round, and our junior-senior prom. As it was our turn to arrange the prom, we held it in the Spencer Hotel ballroom with decorations pertaining to the theme of "Undersea Fantasies."

Judy Sicks, Eddine Lawson, Linda Roth, and Dwight Crouch received the honor of being chosen to attend Girls' State and Boys' State with Lynn Beck and Marvin Smalley as alternates.

Our sponsors were again Mrs. Cloud and Mr. Caughell and our class officers were president, Marvin Smalley; vice-president, Judy Sicks; secretary, Linda Roth; treasurer, Linda Kerschner; student council representatives, Eddine Lawson, Rex Buller, and Dwight Crouch; social chairmen, Lynn Beck and Dwight Crouch.

And last, but not least, we turned to the final pages of the book on which pictures and items portrayed the events of our senior year. This was the year in which we played our first conference game in football with our senior guys helping out a lot.

Activities listed for this season were skating parties, football dance, Halloween dance at which Linda Roth was candidate for queen, senior play, "Little Women," talent show, and a bean supper. We also held the annual magazine sales with Marlene Yale as high salesman.

We found on a page, all by itself, a picture of Eddine Lawson and an article telling of her winning the D. A. R. award. I remember everyone was happy for her, because she surely deserved it.

The saddest parts of our scrapbook were the items telling about ordering our caps and gowns, name cards, invitations, and senior pictures. These were the times when we really began to feel as if we were leaving F. H. S. and all our friends and teachers.

So when baccalaureate and commencement arrived on the 9th and 10th of May, most of us were feeling pretty depressed. But this mood didn't last too long, though, as we were anticipating an event which was to take place five days after graduation.

The last pages of our book were filled with pictures, stories, and sovenir of the climax to our high school life, the senior trip. This trip, taken with the Miller Bus Tours, lasted from the 15th to the 21st of May and was filled with interest and fun for all.

And now we close the book on the pages of what will probably be the best years of our lives, with a sincere farewell to each and everyone we are leaving behind.

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SENIOR CLASS WILLS

I, Evelyn Adams, will my ability to graduate to my brother Leon, and my seat in government class to Darelyn Ice and hope she can do better than I did.

I, Arthur Baker, being of curious mind, leave my school life to Mary Ellen and go to my next school, the College of Hard Knocks

I, Lynn Beck, will my three years of varsity cheer leading to Marlene Crouch.

I, Larry Behr, will my ability to skip school without getting caught, to Don Cruea.

I, Joy Bethay, will my Southern accent to Jane Maple, who "borrows" it so much anyway.

I. Joe Blake, will my ability to loaf in study hall and get by (Ho! Ho!) to Larry Campbell.

I, Shirley Bright, will my five years in Booster Club to Linda Williams.

I, James Broyles, will my math seat to Alan Horn, who, I hope, can get better grades than I did.

I, Rex Buller, being in a sound state of mind, will my ability to tease all the little girls without getting murdered to Bob Peacock.

I, Catherine Carl, will my two years of typing, my ability to graduate, and my quietness to my sister, Marilyn.

I, Dwight Crouch, being in an emotional state of mind, will my fine record of going without shaving throughout high school to Bert Bush.

I, Diana Dale, will my nickname "Smoky" to anyone who can tolerate it as long as I have.

I, Marlene Dauenhauer, will my second million to my sister Carmen, for her loyal service in getting me up for school every morning.

I, Marilyn Deeter, will all the good times I have had to my brother Dave, and to Judy Bruner, I will my seat in government.

I, Jim Draper, hereby will my ability to get good grades in Math to James Larkey.

I, Phil Eastburn, will my three straight years of Math under Mr. Berg, to Melba Miller.

I, Bill Gaddis, will my ability to be the only lineman in F.H.S. history to score a touchdown to Joe Comer.

I, Charles Gosnell, will my ability to stay out of trouble to Fred Barnhart.

I, Harlan Haisley, will my 3 years in Mr. Berg's Math class to anyone who wants it and my position as president of the Fender Bender Club to Larry Stookey.

I, Bob Hayes, will my ability to get good grades in any class and not study to anyone who thinks he can get by with it.

I, Jack Holloway, will to Mr. Caughell my car keys and best driving habits for one week.

I, Phyllis Howell, will my knack for getting up at the last minute but still getting to school on time to my cousin, Susie Gaither.

I, Alice Keller, will my good times at F.H.S. to Judi Keith.

I. Lowell Kierstead, will to Dean Shrontz, my ability to get out of trouble and hope he hasn't as much use for it as I did.

I, Eddine Lawson, will my happy times at F.H.S. to my little freshman pal, Nancy Leach.

I, John Leming, will my ability to get into trouble in most of my classes to Orval Meyers if he can take getting called down that much.

I, Jay Marley, will my ability to get along with Mr. DuBois to Sonny Shelton.

I, Jim Mitchener, will my long sideburns to Sammy Williams.

I, David Moore, will my Plane Geometry book to Betty Rankin, and I hope she can learn more out of it than I did.

I, Mary Agnes Partridge, will to Mary Lou Clem, the privilege of being a student teacher for the fourth period beginning typing class.

I, Bob Plue, will my liking for Chevrolets to anyone who can stand the tappet noises and Ford owners' criticism.

I, Loretta Price, will my freckles to Kay Beck; I will be glad to get rid of them.

I, Jim Rich, will one Chevy hub-cap to J C Kirk for a start on the car he expects to get.

I, Dale Richards, will to my sister Karen Richards my camera and hope she has fun with it.

I, Linda Roth, being of sound mind (?), will my "free talk" with Mr. Wood to anyone else who wants to try getting by with it.

I, Josephine Roy, will my ability to get away with talking in study hall to Martin Lee Davis.

I, Phyllis Scott, will my ability to get along with the teachers to my sister, Mary.

I, Judy Sicks, will my noon rides in a green Chevie to my brother, Jon.

I, Charles Skinner, will my ability to make it through school to Shirley Thompson.

Being of sound mind and body, I, D.M. Smalley, do hereby leave to Dave Blair the ability to be president of his class for three years and still be sane, and to Chuck Himelick my bookkeeping book, if he can stand it.

I, Phil Smith, will my nickname "Mutt" to Orval Meyers.

I, Vera Smith, will the typewriter that I have used for the last two years to Donna Faye Holder, and to Joanne Clement my ability to stay awake in classes.

I, Phyllis Stanley, will to Jimmie Cromer all my good times at Fairmount High School.

I, Charles Thomas, will my seat in U. S. Government to anyone who likes history.

I, Gerald Trice, being of unusual mind, will my Solid Geometry book to Richard Broyles, hoping he can understand it.

I. Benjamin Underwood, will my ability to keep out of trouble to any underclassman who needs it.

I, Buss Williams, being of sound mind and body? leave to my little brother my ability to be a star in basketball but not to quit.

I, Marlene Yale, will my ability to sell $200.80 worth of magazines to Dawnetta Dunham.

COMPLIMENTS OF YOUR MARATHON DEALER — BOB KIRKPATRICK — PHONE 159

SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

	Occupation '54	Occupation '64
Evelyn Adams	Working at Hill's	Head checker for A & P
Arthur Baker	Reading mechanics books	President of General Motors
Mary Lynn Beck	Cheerleader	Vogue model
Larry Behr	Being with Jim and Lowell	Head of home for old men
Joy Bethay	Going with John Leming	Still going with John Leming
Joe Blake	Playing basketball	Fairmount coach
Shirley Bright	Loafing	Retired in Florida
James Broyles	Being quiet	Auctioneer
Rex Buller	Editor of Breeze	Editor of Life magazine
Kate Carl	Going steady	Verlin's secretary
Dwight Crouch	Talking	Salesman
Diana Dale	Having dates	Lovelorn counselor
Marlene Dauenhauer	Typing Breeze copy	Copy editor for New York Times
Marilyn Deeter	Riding in Ford convertible	Housewife
James Draper	Hunting	Big-game hunter
Phil Eastburn	Driving '50 Chevy	Cadillac dealer
Bill Gaddis	Acting like a big shot	U. S. Senator from Texas
Charles Gosnell	Running movie projector	President of MGM
Harlan Haisley	Speeding	Race car driver
Robert Hayes	Playing football	Tackle for Detroit Lions
Jack Holloway	Farming	Head of State Fair
Phyllis Howell	Baby-sitting	Running day-nursery
Alice Keller	Working at Palace	Usher at Radio City
Lowell Kierstead	Visiting steady girl in Marion	Operating bus route to Marion
Eddine Lawson	Singing	TV song stylist
John Leming	Taking pictures	Photographer for Esquire
Jay Marley	Working at Twosons	Foreman at Twosons
David Moore	Being nice to people	Writing daily column on manners
James L. Mitchener	Playing basketball	Star for Lakers
Mary Agnes Partridge	Being engaged	Mrs. Lloyd Shinholt
Robert Plue	Not listening in psychology	Expert on psychology
Loretta Price	Fixing hair	Beauty operator
James Rich	Secretary of F. F. A.	Secretary of Agriculture
Dale Richards	Being late to school	Owner of clock factory
Linda Lou Roth	Writing letters to Bernie Jo	Private secretary to B.J. Lehman Co.
Josie Roy	Losing temper	Authority on child psychology
Phyllis Scott	Man-hater	Married man-hater
Judith Sicks	Making good grades	Professor's wife
Charles Skinner	Sleeping in class	All night disc-jockey
Marvin Smalley	President of senior class	Traffic court judge
Phillip Smith	Going steady	President of Bachelor's Club
Vera Smith	Attending church	Missionary
Phyllis Stanley	Riding in '40 Chevy	Driving '40 Chevy
Charles Thomas	Working at garage	Famous inventor
Gerald Trice	Reading "muscle power" books	Physical education teacher
Benny Underwood	Wrecking cars	Junkyard owner
Clyde Williams	Having a girl in every town	Sailor
Marlene Yale	President of Y-Teens	President of Y. W. C. A.

COMPLIMENTS OF WILLIAM HOLLENBECK — SALES AND SERVICE

BABY PICTURES

COMPLIMENTS OF HOCKETT'S STUDIO — FAIRMOUNT, INDIANA

BABY PICTURES

In Memoriam

Students and teachers of Fairmount High School were stunned by the accidental death of Meredith Peterson on January 29, 1954. Meredith had entered Fairmount High as a freshman last fall, having previously attended Liberty Township School. Although many of us had not learned to know Meredith well, he was a popular boy with his classmates; and his tragic death aroused the school's deepest sympathy for his family and friends.

BABY DIRECTORY

1. Jay Marley
2. Joe Blake
3. Diana Dale
4. Gerald Trice
5. Charles Gosnell
6. Mary Agnes Partridge
7. Phyllis Scott
8. David Moore
9. Dale Richards
10. Josephine Roy
11. Jim Draper
12. Marlene Yale
13. Vera Smith
14. Loretta Price
15. D. Marvin Smalley
16. John Leming
17. Marilyn Deeter
18. Alice Keller
19. Linda Roth
20. Phyllis Stanley
21. Judy Sicks
22. Marlene Dauenhauer
23. Evelyn Adams
24. Charles Skinner
25. James Broyles
26. Buss Williams
27. Shirley Bright
28. Jim Mitchener
29. Phil Eastburn
30. Charles Thomas
31. Arthur Baker
32. Phil Smith
33. Bob Hayes
34. Bill Gaddis
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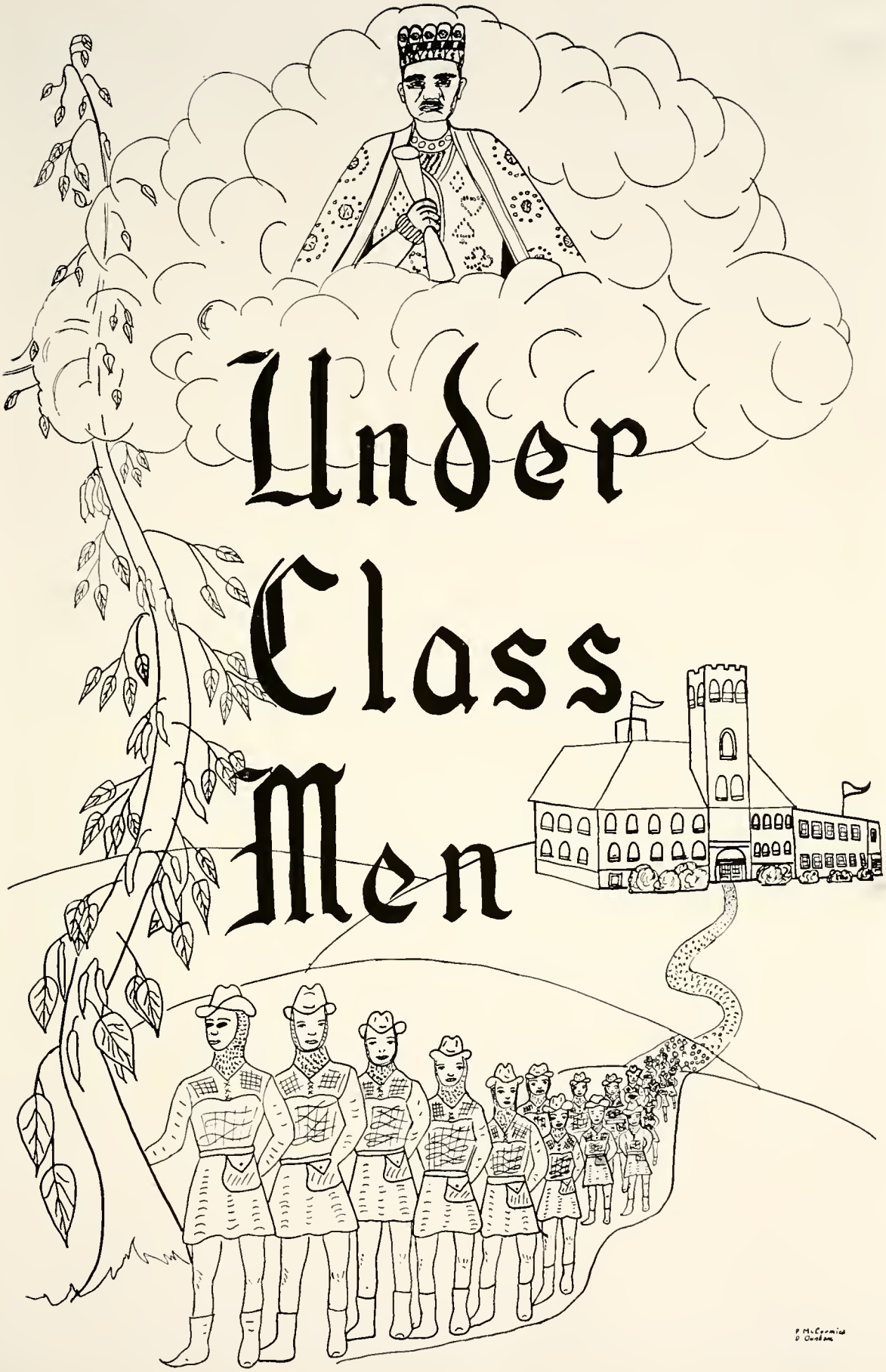
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Class
Men

JUNIOR CLASS

Row 1: David Blair, president; Charles Himelick, vice-president; Ramona Stroup, secretary; Janice Wimmer, treasurer; Carolyn Small, Jim Dunn, social chairman; Bob Allen.

Row 2: Mary Ellen Baker, Fred Barnhart, Jackie Behr, Robert Blair, Mary Bright, Richard Broyles, Judy Bruner.

Row 3: Marilyn Sue Buller, Mary Lou Clem, Wanda Colcord, Joe Comer, Wilma Cornelius, James Cromer, Leveda Crouch.

Row 4: Earl Cruea, Dawnetta Dunham, Marilyn Ford, Don Garner, Sara Lea Hayes, Saralee Himelick, Janet Hoke.

Row 5: Albert Holloway, Allen Horn, Darelyn Ice.

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Row 1: Mary Lou Jarvis, Phil Jones, Janet Lamb, Loren Little, Jane Maple, Pat McCormick, Orval Meyers.

Row 2: George Miller, Dorothy Mitchener, Dorothy Nelson, Nancy O'Brien, Jerry Parrish, Jim Pettiford, Verlin Pierce.

Row 3: Paul Pogue, Roger Pulley, Eugene Rayn, Ernest Richey, Ronald Scott, Bob Sheets, Marilyn Small.

Row 4: Carol Sue Smithson, Phil Stewart, Larry Stookey, Dick Stroup, Carol Thomas, Charles Wallace, Louise Williams.

Row 5: Jack Wood, Audry Wright.

COMPLIMENTS OF THE FAIRMOUNT STATE BANK

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Row 1: Larry Wood, president; Bob Pernod, vice-president; Norma Sullivan, secretary; Connie Maple, treasurer; Bonnie Ancil, Jack Ashba, Janice Avery, Sue Lynn Bayless.

Row 2: Kay Beck, Pet Bethay, Jerry Blake, James Bowen, Sandra Boykin, Milo Brown, Jane Ann Buffington, Philip Burton.

Row 3: Nancy Bush, Susan Callahan, Marilyn Carl, Pauline Carroll, Virginia Chapel, Harold Clem, Nancy Comer, Jane Crist.

Row 4: Marlene Crouch, Don Cruea, Carol Davis, Martin Lee Davis, David Dumpert, Milton Dunham Jr., Kenneth Eccles, Jane Ann Ellingwood.

Row 5: Sondra Eltzroth, Judith Frye, Sue Gaither, Larry Gibson, Barbara Hanes, Jane Hoke, Donna Holder, Judith Hollenbeck.

COMPLIMENTS OF THE FAIRWELD COMPANY

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Row 1: Joyce Holloway, Susan Johnson, John Jones, Michael Karnes, Dottie Kendall, Roland Kierstead, Janice Kilgore, J C Kirk.

Row 2: Clarence King, Charles Livezey, Phyllis McCormick, Mary Jo Mendenhall, James Miller, Melba Miller, Philip Mitchener, Elizabeth Moon.

Row 3: Nora Moore, Robert Parson, Kay Payne, Mary Susan Pegram, Phyllis Pernod, Tony Riley, Linda Ramsey, Betty Rankin.

Row 4: Janet Reasoner, Sonny Shelton, Dean Shrontz, Jack Skinner, Marlene Smalley, Mary Scott, Shirley Scott, Nancy Stewart.

Row 5: Byron Thomas, George Thomas, Shirley Thompson, Judy Turschman, Jerry Underwood, Tom Vetor, Lewis Wallace, Tom Wood.

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Row 1: Steve Burton, president; Nancy Leach, vice-president; Vickie Hayes, secretary; Kathleen West, treasurer; Leon Adams, Bob Ailes, Dean Anders, Pauline Anderson.

Row 2: Harvey Barnes, David Barnhart, Jayne Beck, Ruth Blair, Bert Bush, Joe Butcher, Joanne Clement, Jerry Cline.

Row 3: Jim Comer, Richard Cosby, George Crawford, Tom Daily, Dixie Davis, Karen Davis, David Deeter, Margaret Dumpert.

Row 4: Pat Eltzroth, Edna Feazel, Steve Fox, Linda Green, Charles Haisley, Ted Haisley, Robert Hammitt, Fred Hayes.

Row 5: Tom Hayes, Asondra Hoheimer, Jerry Horn, Jane Hunt, James Ireland, William Jacob, Janice Jarvis, Karen Jarvis.

Row 6: Raymond Jones, Larry Johns, Judi Keith, Juanita Kendall, Don Kesler, Dexter Lamb, Jim Larkey, Belle Leckron.

COMPLIMENTS OF MIDWEST FOOD PACKING — FOWLERTON, INDIANA

FRESHMAN CLASS

Row 1: Joan Lewis, Richard Lhamon, David Madigan, Bill Main, Patty Meyers, Carolyn Miller, Larry Moon, Robert Moore.

Row 2: Raymond Pace, Patsy Parrill, Mary Jane Patton, Jerry Payne, Richard Payne, Veta Ann Payne, Judy Peacock, Denny Pemberton.

Row 3: Raymond Peters, Bonny Pettiford, Ronald Rayn, Betsy Relfe, Carole Richards, Elmira Robinson, Ronnie Roe, Alene Roy.

Row 4: Ronald Russell, Paul Scott, Lois Jean Seward, James Sheets, Jay Shockey, Jon Sicks, Ronnie Smalley, David Smith.

Row 5: Jim Smithson, Rosalie Spahr, Roberta Spence, Jack Stevens, Beverly Street, Maru Lou Thomas, Virginia Tobin, Joyce Trimble.

Row 6: Ronnie Tutorow, Beverly Vetor, Gene Webb, Gene Wood, Charles Woodruff, Jere Wysong.

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EIGHTH GRADE

Row 1: Emory Eccles, president; Larry Engle, vice-president; Sandra Skinner, secretary and treasurer; Dianne Scott, social chairman; Jack Dunn, social chairman; Larry Bryan, John Buller.

Row 2: Wilbur Burton, Carolyn Butcher, Martha Clem, David Clement, Beverly Cromer, Carmen Dauenhauer, Barbara Dickerson.

Row 3: Harlon Dunham, Jayne Elliott, Dan Garner, Judith Grindle, Carolyn Gross, Michael Hammond, Harold Hearn.

Row 4: Jean Hensley, Janet Hill, Kenneth Hoke, George Hollenbeck, Betty Holloway, Phillip Hoskins, Sally Ivans.

Row 5: David Kendall, Margie Kennedy, Patsy Kierstead, Pat Kierstead.

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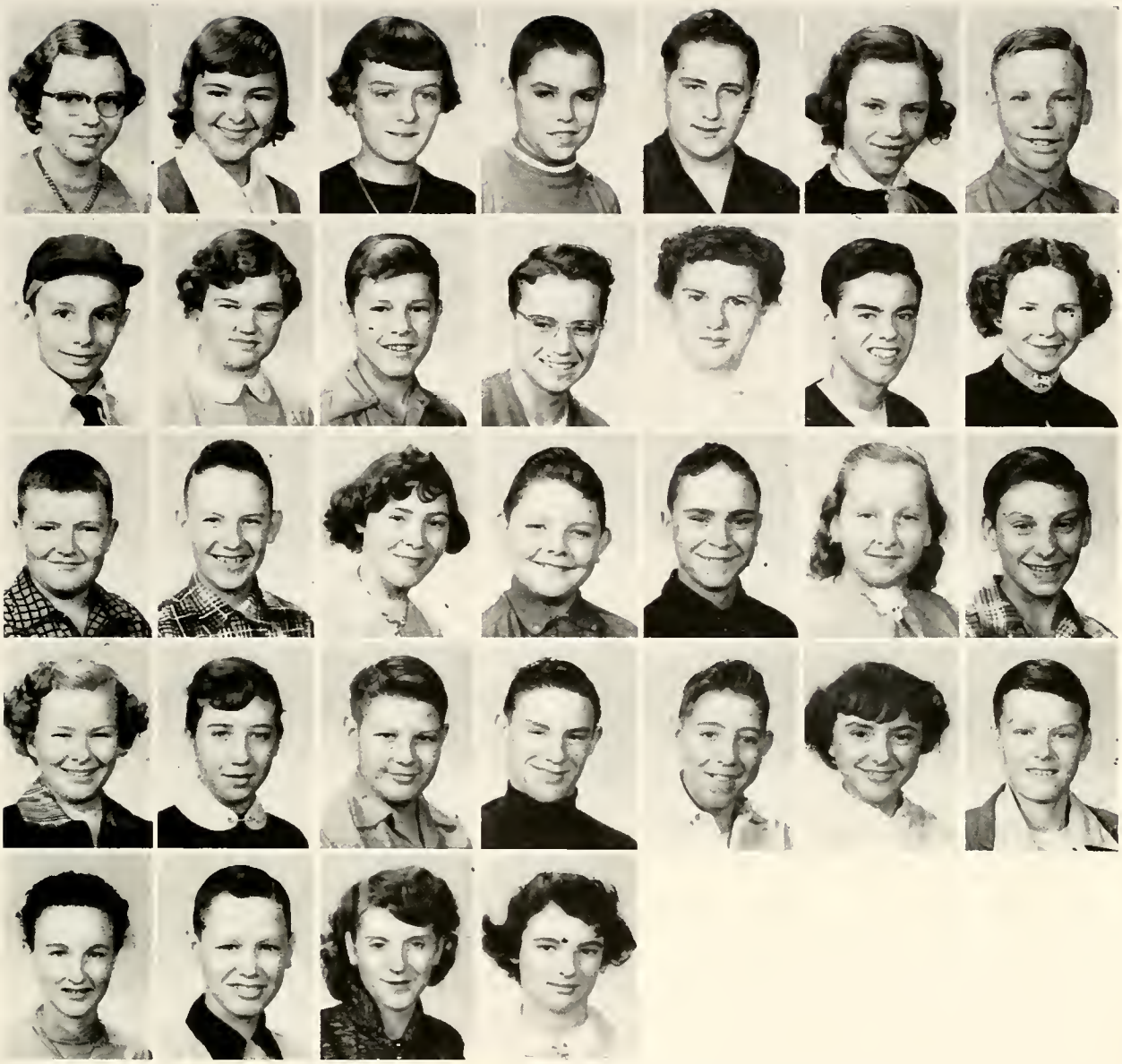

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Gloria Radford.

Row 3: Ronnie Rhoads, John Rogers, Anna Rye, Timothy Smith, Harvey Stitt, Janice Thiellen, Terry Thiellen.

Row 4: Judith Thomas, Darlene Thompson, Jerry Turschman, Delbert Vetor, Glen Vetor, Rilla Vetor, Harold Williams.

Row 5: Linda Williams, Ronnie Wood, Gracie Woodcock, Carol Wysong.

COMPLIMENTS OF DR. E. B. COUCH, DENTIST

SEVENTH GRADE

Row 1: Charles Gaither, president; Robert Peacock, vice-president; Pauline Ancil, secretary; Judith Rautenkranz, treasurer; Denver Anders, Becky Aylsworth, Jerry Behr, Larry Beouy.

Row 2: Carolyn Bannister, Marilyn Bradford, Arlene Brattain, Phyllis Brookshire, Gilbert Brown, Frank Callahan, Larry Campbell, Mary Jane Casner.

Row 3: Raymond Chapel, Deloris Cline, Bobby Cromer, Arden Cruea, Sandra Davis, Joe Deeter, Eugene Duckett, Joe Elliott.

Row 4: Rohn Ellsworth, Scott Ford, Ray Hartley, Howard Hiatt, Alonzo Hoheimer Jr., Judith Hoke, Hugh Horn, Phillip John.

Row 5: Jean Jones, Janet Keith, Bill Keller, Carol Keller, Eugene Kendall, Rosemary Kierstead, Larry Kilgore, Jane Langsdon.

Row 6: Linda Lewis, Lois McGlynn, Jeanette Metzger.

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SEVENTH GRADE

Row 1: Joan Miller, Julia Miller, Marcia Monahan, Charles Moore, Beth Mullen, Philip Nelson, Ladd O'Brien, Richard Pace.

Row 2: Errol Parson, Martha Patton, Violet Payne, Becky Pernod, Jimmy Pernod, Sharon Pettiford, Donald Phillips, Marceil Polk.

Row 3: Jim Ratliff, William Reismiller, Mike Relfe, Danny Ribble, Charles Richards, Karen Richards, Wayne Richards, Dollie Richardson.

Row 4: Mike Riggs, Donna Riley, Ronald Roy, James Royal, Virginia Salisbury, Carolyn Small, Marilyn Smith, Larry Spence.

Row 5: Denny Stroup, Larry Sullivan, James Tutorow, Rita Van Osdol, Patty Venitz, Jack Watson, Larry Whybrew, Sam Williams.

Row 6: Ronald Woodcox, Jay Hunt, Alice Michael.

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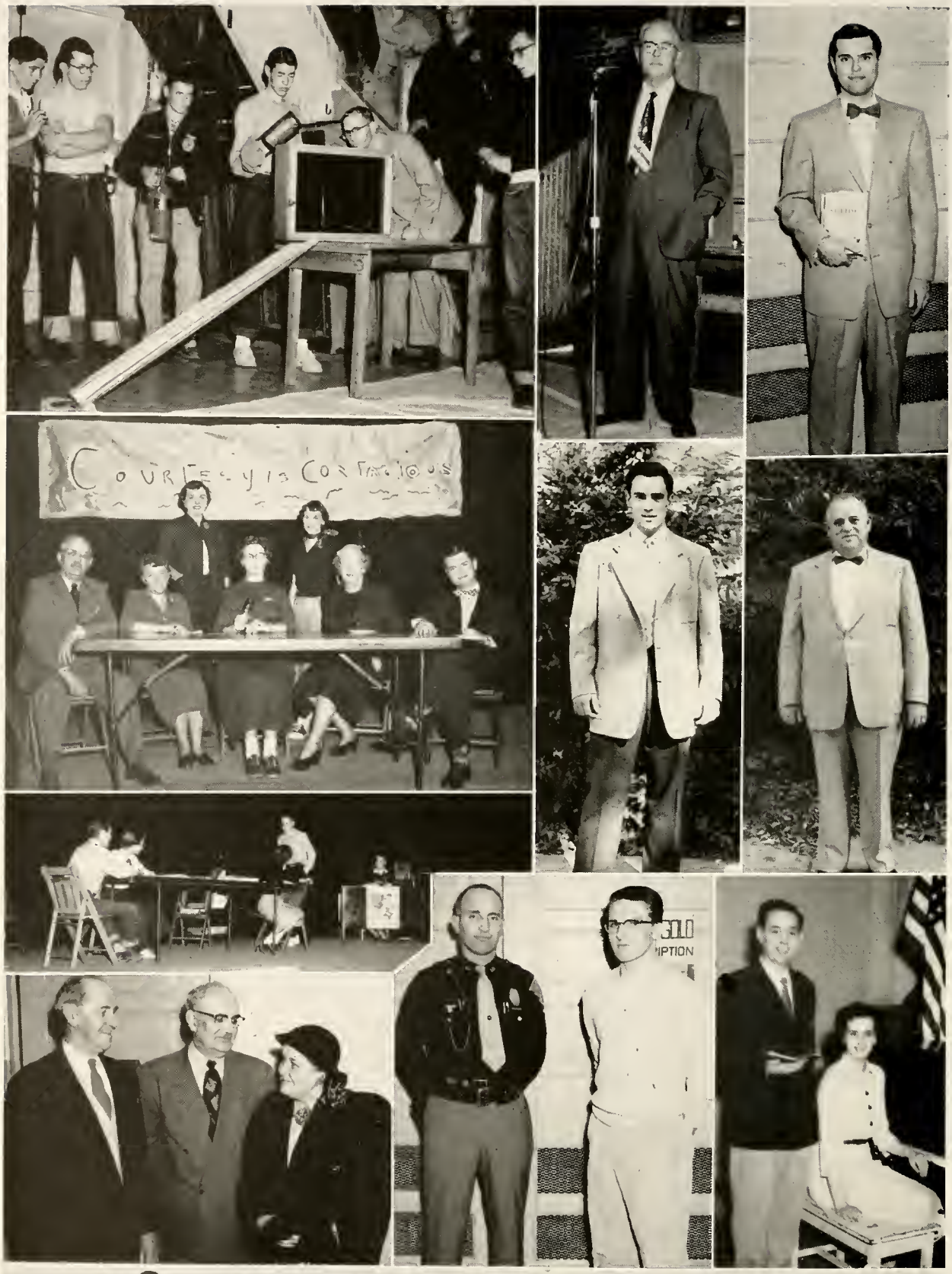

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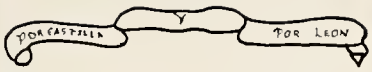

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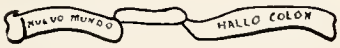

J. Lamb
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MASQUERADE BALL

On October 31, Connie Maple was crowned as Queen of the Masquerade Ball. For her escort she chose Larry Wood. Other attendants were Linda Roth and Bernie Lehman, Janice Wimmer and Jim Dunn, Kathleen West and Dave Deeter, Darlene Thompson and Buddy Stitt, Phyllis Brookshire and Mike Relfe.

SWEETHEART BALL

In place of the Soc-Hop on Valentine's Day this year the Dance Club sponsored a formal dance. Patty Meyers was chosen to reign as queen. As court attendants she had Lynn Beck, Janice Wimmer, Judy Frye, and Sandra Boykin.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Back row: Bob Hayes, Don Garner, Dwight Crouch, Martin Lee Davis, Jerry Blake, Roger Pulley, Marilyn Small, Linda Roth, Shirley Thompson. Front row: Benny Payne, Jon Sicks, Phyllis Brookshire, Roberta Spence, Sandra Mitchener, Patty Kierstead, Mike Relfe, Jim Sheets, Marceil Polk, and Mr. DuBois, adviser. Officers for the group were president, Dwight Crouch; vice-president, Bob Hayes; secretary-treasurer, Linda Roth.

Under the guidance of Mr. DuBois, the Student Council grew in prestige during the year. Respected by the students as a group, the Council widened its sphere of influence not only in routine regulations but in molding student opinion.

SEVEN HONORED STUDENTS

In February the juniors who were to attend Girls State and Boys State during the coming summer, were chosen by the faculty. This group included three girl delegates and one alternate and one boy delegate and his alternate. Students thus honored are pictured below. Standing: Alternates Carolyn Small and Joe Comer, delegates Jim Dunn and Marilyn Small. Seated: Sara Lea Hayes and Ramona Stroup.

On March 9, Kenneth Martin announced that James Mitchener was the fourth Quaker basketball mentor to receive the Don Rhoads Sportsmanship Award. Jim is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchener and the younger brother of John Mitchener, who was similarly honored in 1951.

ACADEMY FLOWER SHOP — AL ROTH, DESIGNER

Honor Society

Back row: Bob Sheets, Richard Broyles, Mr. Wood, Jim Dunn, and Dwight Crouch.

Second row: Linda Roth, Lynn Beck, Sara Lea Hayes, Carolyn Small, Phyllis Scott, Marlene Yale, Judy Sicks.

Seated: Gerald Trice, Rex Buller, Bill Gaddis, Eddine Lawson.

Gerald Trice, president; Rex Buller, vice-president; Eddine Lawson, secretary; Bill Gaddis, treasurer, were the officers elected for the year. Linda Roth and Judy Sicks were elected social chairmen.

Quill and Scroll

Back row: Arthur Baker, Gerald Trice.

Second row: Bill Gaddis, John Leming, Judy Sicks, Eddine Lawson, Rex Buller, Linda Roth, Lynn Beck.

Seated: Phyllis Scott, Marlene Yale.

In this honorary journalistic society, Quill and Scroll, no officers are elected.

Service Club

Back row: Mrs. Cloud, Jim Dunn, Don Garner, John Leming, Phil Smith, Bill Gaddis, Bob Hayes, and Dwight Crouch.

Second row: Dorothy Nelson, Carolyn Small, Eddine Lawson, Marilyn Small, Marvin Smalley, Jim Mitchener, Buss Williams.

Third row: Loretta Price, Josephine Roy, Janet Hoke, Linda Roth, Judy Sicks, Joe Blake.

The officers for this new club were president, Joe Blake; vice-president, Dwight Crouch; secretary, Dorothy Nelson.

The main project of the Service Club was to establish a teen-age canteen for the high school students.

COMPLIMENTS OF MITCHENER ELECTRIC

Hi-Y

Back row: Ronald Russell, Bill Main, Raymond Peters, Jon Sicks, Jere Wysong, Mr. Berg, Bert Bush, Jim Smithson, Steve Burton, Ronnie Smalley, Dave Deeter, Ted Haisley.

Second row: Mike Karnes, Don Garner, Tom Wood, Richard Broyles, Joe Comer, James Comer, Audry Wright, Fred Hayes, Alan Horn, Charles Wallace, Richard Payne, George Crawford.

Seated: Bob Allen, Phil Jones, Dwight Crouch, Jim Pettiford, Jim Dunn.

The officers for the year were president, Dwight Crouch; vice-president, Phil Jones; secretary, Bob Allen; chaplain, Jim Dunn; treasurer, Jim Pettiford.

Y-Teens

Back row: Janet Hill, Carol Wysong, Grace Woodcock, Jean Hensley, Pauline Anderson, Virginia Tobin, Carolyn Butcher, Edna Feazel, Veta Payne, Janice Jarvis, Mary Jane Patton.

Second row: Lois McGlynn, Rosalie Spahr, Darlene Thompson, Sally Ivans, Marilyn Smith, Lora Lawson, Rosemary Kierstead, Jeanette Metzger, Loretta Peach, Beverly Cromer, Carolyn Miller.

Third row: Sharon Pettiford, Sandra Nottingham, Gloria Radford, Carmen Dauenhauer, Anna Rye, Mrs. Hall, Marlene Yale, Joanne Clement, Bonny Pettiford, Martha Patton.

Fourth row: Diana Scott, Martha Clem, Carolyn Gross, Patsy Kierstead, Karen Main, Belle Leckron, Julia Miller.

The officers elected for the year were president, Marlene Yale; vice-president, Sandra Nottingham; secretary - treasurer, Joanne Clement; song leader, Darlene Thompson.

Prayer Band

Back row: Mr. Elliott, Howard Hiatt, Bobby Cromer, Jim Cromer.

Second row: Phyllis Stanley, Catherine Carl, Evelyn Adams, Rita Van-Osdol, Vera Smith, Donna Holder, Joanne Clement, Karen Jarvis, Edna Feazel, Carolyn Miller, Marlene Yale.

Third row: Jane Langsdon, Sandy Mitchener, Betty Holloway, Joyce Holloway, Dawnetta Dunham, Bonnie Ancil, Linda Lewis, Judy Grindle, Janet Keith, Pauline Ancil.

Fourth row: Harlan Dunham, Larry Bryan, Emory Eccles, Larry Whybrew, Larry Spence, Larry Campbell, Jerry Behr, Ronnie Ellsworth, Pat Kierstead.

Officers for the year were president, Evelyn Adams; vice-president, Jim Cromer; secretary, Bonnie Ancil.

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Science Club

Back row: David Blair, James Rich, Bob Allen, Charles Wallace, Jim Draper, Jack Holloway, Richard Lhamon, Tom Wood.

Second row: James Comer, Larry Johns, Raymond Peters, Joe Comer, Alan Horn, Meredith Peterson, Charles Haisley, Ronnie Smalley, Jack Wood.

Third row: David Madigan, Ruth Blair, Karen Jarvis, Joyce Holloway, Mr. Lee, Bonnie Ancil, Carol Richards, Bonny Pettiford, Margaret Dumpert, Dave Deeter.

Front row: Jack Stevens, Dan Garner, Jerry Turschman, Byron Thomas, Ronald Rayn, Gene Wood, Bob Sheets.

Officers for the year were president, Jim Draper; vice-president, Bob Sheets; secretary - treasurer, Charles Wallace.

Art Club

Back row: Steve Fox, Ray Hartley, Jay Shockey, Dave Smith, Bob Moore, David Barnhart, David Moore, Howard Hiatt.

Second row: Tim Smith, Jim Ratliff, Pat McCormick, Larry Whybrew, Donna Riley, Charles Richards, Carol Keller, Larry Kilgore, Eilene Ailes, Charles Moore.

Front row: Bob Cromer, Hugh Horn, Dawnetta Dunham, Bill Keller, Mrs. Kessler, Gene Webb, Joan Miller, Paul Scott, Janet Keith.

Officers for the year were president, Bob Cromer; vice-president, Tim Smith; secretary, Pat McCormick; treasurer, Dawnetta Dunham.

Hobby Club

Back row: Mike Relfe, Eugene Duckett, Howard Hiatt, Bob Peacock, Phil Hoskins, Jerry Turschman, Ray Hartley, Jerry Behr, Ronnie Ellsworth, William Reismiller.

Second row: Jim Ratliff, Dan Garner, Sammy Williams, Mr. McAnally, Jim Pernod, Charles Moore, Errol Parsons.

Officers for the year were president, Bob Peacock; vice-president, Jimmy Pernod; secretary-treasurer, Sammy Williams.

COMPLIMENTS OF KENNETH MARTIN INSURANCE AGENCY, FAIRMOUNT, INDIANA

Music Club

Back row: Richard Cosby, Don Kesler, George Crawford, Mr. McCoy, Jay Hunt, Jack Wood, Charles Wallace.

Second row: Jayne Kirkpatrick, Eddine Lawson, Tom Daily, Phillip John, Ronnie Tutorow, Beth Mullen, Sara Lea Hayes.

Seated: Janice Thiellen, Karen Richards, Elmira Robinson, Joan Lewis, Wanda Colcord, Linda Lewis, Pauline Ancil, Jane Langsdon.

Sara Lea Hayes and George Crawford were elected temporary president and vice-president of the club until the club received its charter.

Beginning Band

Back row: Beth Mullen, Rita Van-Osdol, Bob Peacock, Marcia Monahan, Ladd O'Brien, Mike Relfe, Mr. McCoy, Larry Spence, Dan Ribble, Linda Lewis.

Second row: Virginia Salisbury, Sharon Pettiford, Pauline Ancil, Karen Richards, Ray Hartley, Mike Hammond, Jane Langsdon.

F-Club

Back row: Joe Blake, Charles Gosnell, Phil Smith, Bob Hayes, Bill Gaddis, Jim Mitchener, Buss Williams, Bob Allen.

Second row: Orval Meyers, John Leming, Bob Blair, Jack Skinner, Joe Comer, Roger Pulley, Rex Buller.

Seated: David Barnhart, Martin Lee Davis, John Jones, Phil Mitchener, Larry Stookey, Dwight Crouch, David Dumpert, Jerry Blake.

The officers elected for the year were president, Jim Mitchener; vice-president, Joe Blake; secretary and treasurer, Bob Allen.

The club held one meeting during the year for election of officers and induction of new members.

COMPLIMENTS OF HASTY ELEVATOR

Librarians

Back row: Gerald Trice, Ronnie Tutorow, Richard Cosby.

Second row: Larry Johns, Marlene Yale, Catherine Carl, Arthur Baker, Loretta Peach, and Vera Smith.

Front row: Judi Keith, Bonny Pettiford, Carmen Dauenhauer, and Evelyn Adams.

American Legion Winners

Back row: Larry Wood, Bob Blair, Rex Buller.

Seated: Norma Sullivan, Sara Lea Hayes, Lynn Beck.

Freshman winners will not be announced until Award Day, the last day of school.

Polly Pigtails

Back row: Violet Payne, Carol Wysong, Martha Patton, Anna Rye, Julia Miller, Jayne Kirkpatrick, Shirley Thompson, Jane Crist.

Second row: Carolyn Small, Margie Kennedy, Marceil Polk, Virginia Salisbury, Marilyn Bradford, Judy Hoke, Marilyn Smith, Arlene Brattain, Jean Jones, Jeanette Metzger, Donna Riley.

Third row: Miss McTurnan, Alice Michael, Joan Miller, Phyllis Brookshire, Patty Venitz, Sandra Davis, Dottie Richardson, Sharon Pettiford, Barbara Dickerson, Karen Main, Rosemary Kierstead, Arden Cruea, Rilla Vetor, Carolyn Bannister.

Front row: Janice Thiellen, Deloris Ann Cline, Mary Jane Casner, Lois McGlynn, Judy Rautenkranz, Becky Pernod, Becky Aylsworth, Marcia Monahan, Judy Thomas.

The officers for the year were president, Judy Rautenkranz; vice-president, Marceil Polk; secretary-treasurer, Karen Richards.

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Thespian Club

Back row: Judy Sicks, Janice Wimmer, Ramona Stroup, Mrs. Nall, Richard Broyles, John Leming, Diana Dale, Marvin Smalley, Melba Miller.

Front row: Dwight Crouch, Linda Roth, Eddine Lawson.

Eddine Lawson was elected president with Dorothy Nelson as vice-president. Carolyn Small acted as secretary-treasurer for the club.

N. F. L.

Back row: Jim Smithson, Janice Wimmer, David Blair, Eddine Lawson, Joe Comer, Mrs. Nall, Phil Jones, Melba Miller, Jon Sicks, Louise Williams, Marvin Smalley.

Seated: Carol Smithson, Sara Lea Hayes, Ramona Stroup, Jim Dunn, Dorothy Nelson, Norma Sullivan, Linda Ramsey.

The officers for the year were president, Jim Dunn; vice-president, Ramona Stroup; secretary-treasurer, Dorothy Nelson.

Junior Debate

Back row: Larry Spence, Mrs. Nall and Phillip John.

Seated: Dan Ribble, Ronnie Tutorow, Mary Jane Casner, Jay Hunt, Ladd O'Brien.

Dan Ribble acted as chairman of the Junior Debate Club; Ladd O'Brien was vice-chairman; Wayne Richards was secretary.

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SPEECH CLUB

The Speech Club has had many varied activities this year. A resume of the events attended is as follows: In November, members of this group attended the state Thespian Conference at Indiana State Teachers College and the N. F. L. student congress at Peru; on December 2 and 3, several members attended the Purdue Legislative Assembly; the drama section had an outing in February, when they attended the Drama Festival at Ball State Teachers College; Dorothy Nelson acted as Parliamentarian during the Model U. N. Assembly at Anderson College on March 12; other events attended included the Individual Speech meets at Howe Military Academy and a Speech Festival at Indiana State Teachers College.

Plans are now in the making for attendance at the Indiana High School Forsenic Association state finals on May 1. Present plans call for the presentation of "Cheaper by the Dozen" as an all-school play around May 7.

Mrs. Nall and several members of the club hope to attend the Thespian National Conference at Indiana University, which takes place June 21 to 25.

Back row: Mrs. Nall, Don Garner, Carolyn Small, Ernest Richey, Judy Frye, Roger Pulley, Melba Miller, Richard Broyles, Sara Lea Hayes, Larry Stookey, Sandra Boykin, Connie Maple, Linda Roth.

Second row: Janet Hoke, Albert Holloway, Louise Williams, Bob Blair, Diana Dale, Milo Brown Carol Sue Smithson, Stephen Fox, Dottie Kendall, John Leming.

Third row: Audry Wright, Judy Sicks, Dwight Crouch, Dorothy Nelson, Jim Dunn, Eddine Lawson, Ramona Stroup, Marilyn Small, Bob Hayes, Janice Wimmer, Bill Gaddis.

Front row: Ted Haisley, Jim Smithson, Phil Jones, Bert Bush, Richard Payne, Jere Wysong, Jon Sicks, Bill Main, Stephen Burton.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

Fairmount Chapter 62, Future Farmers of America, was an outstanding chapter during the past year. Shown with the organization is Clarence Mart, Liberty Township Trustee, receiving a fire map of his domain. The boys spent a considerable amount of time locating and numbering every set of buildings in the township. The chapter again participated in the state Fire Prevention contest of which the map was a part of the entry.

The chapter was proud of John Jessup, a former member, who was presented the highest degree of the Future Farmer organization, the American Farmer degree. His brother, Roger Jessup, received the award at the national convention for John, who was then in Korea.

Robert Blair was presented a $25 savings bond and a plaque for receiving recognition in the state dairy activities competition. Robert was one of five in the state to receive such an award.

The chapter had several other entries in state competition. Robert Sheets was a candidate for honors in soil and water activity. Farm mechanics honors were sought by Rex Buller. Three boys were candidates for the State Farmer degree; namely, Robert Blair, Robert Sheets, and Rex Buller.

Robert Blair's award was the only known honor received when the annual went to press. Phil Compton was elected District 6 director for the past year at the 1953 State Convention. Rex Buller served as District Secretary. The chapter selected the two senior officers, Harlan Haisley and Rex Buller, to be the official delegates to the State Convention, April 1, 2, and 3.

Other activities in the chapter were varied and many. James Rich won the local pest contest and placed seventh in the county contest. Phil Jones entered the district speech contest at Monmouth and placed second.

The 1953-54 officers of the F. F. A. were president, Rex Buller; vice-president, David Blair; secretary, Joe Comer; treasurer, Larry Stookey; reporter, Robert Sheets; sentinel, Harlan Haisley.

Back row: Albert Holloway, Phil Stewart, Bill Jacobs, Ronny Smalley, Bob Parson, Raymond Peters, Ernest Richey, Larry Gibson, J C Kirk, David Smith, Jack Wood, David Deeter, Jerry Underwood, David Dumpert, Milo Brown, John Jones, and Robert Blair.

Second row: Martin Lee Davis, Charles Haisley, Audry Wright, Phil Jones, James Rich, James Ireland, Harvey Barnes, James Sheets, Charles Wallace, Ronny Roe, Jim Comer, Larry Johns, Jerry Parrish, Jack Stevens, Jerry Payne, Larry Wood, Ronald Russell, and Charles Livezy.

Front row: Mr. Caughell, Clarence Mart, Rex Buller, David Blair, Larry Stookey, Robert Sheets, Joe Comer, Harlan Haisley, Jerry Cline, Ronald Rayn, and Gene Wood.

F. F. A. BASKETBALL TEAM

The F. F. A. basketball team played only a four-game schedule due to the lack of a coach. After much delay, Eddie Thomas accepted the responsibilities of coaching and then some games were scheduled.

Several of the boys had had previous experience playing basketball, so the farmer quintet ended the season with a 3-win and 1-loss record. The farmers started the season on January 25 by getting defeated at Anderson. On February 11 they traveled to Gaston, where they chalked up a victory, 40 to 37. Then the Gaston five played a return game here, again suffering a loss, 43 to 36. The squad ended the season by outscoring Anderson 43 to 38 on February 17.

The boys on the team enjoyed the season very much. Mr. Thomas and the boys thought they did extremely well considering that they started late and had very few practices.

The team should be very strong next year, since they will lose only one boy through graduation.

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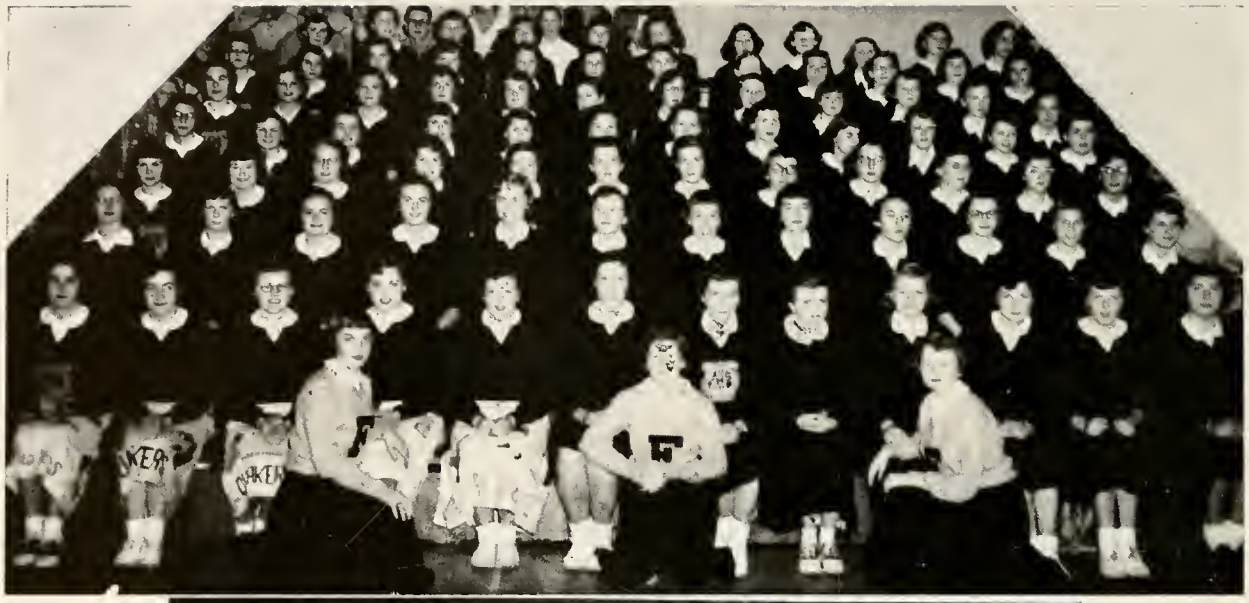

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BOOSTER CLUB

"Yea Rah, Quakers", "Good Luck, Team", and "Go Get 'Em, Quakers" were just a few of the yells heard from the Fairmount Booster Club this year as they cheered the Quakers on to victory.

The club was at its largest this year with 88 members. The girls wore black, long-sleeved, V-necked sweaters with white dickies and dark skirts. For the last two or three games and the first Sectional tourney game, the girls wore gold scarfs.

The club's main activities this year were the Basketball Banquet, which honored the team, coach, and cheerleaders, on March 8, and a Basketball Bounce, honoring all county schools and teams, on March 19.

The club had a very successful year, but it could not have been so successful without the girls' cooperation, hard work, learning new yells, keeping trim and neat, and most of all, practicing good sportsmanship throughout the year. But even with these traits, the club could never have accomplished all they did without their officers, who were president, Linda Roth; vice-president, Judy Sicks; secretary, Norma Sullivan; and treasurer, Ramona Stroup. Then, of course, neither the club nor their officers could have accomplished so much without the help and leadership of their sponsor, Mrs. Annalee Cloud.

Membership this year was as follows: Linda Roth, Judy Sicks, Lynn Beck, Shirley Bright, Phyllis Howell, Diana Dale, Loretta Price, Mary Bright, Ramona Stroup, Marilyn Buller, Carol Sue Smithson, Susan Johnson, Jane Crist, Janet Lamb, Louise Williams, Dorothy Nelson, Norma Sullivan, Kay Beck, Janet Reasoner, Janice Avery, Judy Hollenbeck, Shirley Thompson, Dottie Kendall, Patsy Parrill, Linda Green, Ruth Blair, Jayne Beck, Phyllis Scott, Eddine Lawson, Janice Wimmer, Leveda Crouch, Janet Hoke, Marilyn Small, Judy Frye, Connie Maple, Nancy Comer, Linda Ramsey, Sandra Boykin, Sondra Eltzroth, Sue Bayless, Marlene Smalley, Marlene Crouch, Bonnie Ancil, Mary Susan Pegram, Kay Payne, Phyllis Pernod, Jane Hoke, Jane Buffington, Virginia Chapel, Nancy Bush, Judy Turschman, Susan Callahan, Sue Gaither, Joyce Holloway, Jane Ellingwood, Roberta Spence, Maru Lou Thomas, Juanita Kendall, Elmira Robinson, Janice Jarvis, Margaret Dumpert, Patty Meyers, Sandra Nottingham, Janet Hill, Martha Clem, Karen Main, Loretta Peach, Sally Ivans, Lora Lawson, Saralee Himelick, Melba Miller, Betty Rankin, Dixie Davis, Judy Peacock, Jane Hunt, Betsy Relfe, Bonny Pettiford, Nancy Leach, Rosalie Spahr, Lois Jean Seward, Carolyn Miller, Beverly Cromer, Sandy Skinner, Dianne Scott, Darlene Thompson, Pauline Ancil, Linda Lewis, Linda Williams, Betty Holloway, Patsy Kierstead, Carolyn Gross.

SENIOR DANCE CLUB

In 1949, Mrs. Cloud, with the help of some freshmen girls, formed a club to teach the fundamental techniques of dancing to those students who cared to learn. The club had to hold meetings out of school when the gymnasium was not in use. There was about an hour of instruction followed by dancing.

The club was carried on through 1950 and 51. Then in 1952 it was divided into two clubs, the Junior and Senior Dance Clubs. The Junior Dance Club consists of 7th, 8th, and 9th graders; while the Senior Dance Club consists of sophomores, juniors, and seniors.

Through club dues and contributions the club was able to buy a juke box and a large number of new and used records. The machine was also used for noon-hour dancing and parties held at night.

During the 1952-53 year the club concentrated mostly on learning new dances; and with the money brought in from dues, they bought more new records.

In the fall of 1953 the Dance Club had grown so much that the sponsors made a rule that before joining the club, a person would have to have a partner of the opposite sex. Although this lowered the number of members, there was more work accomplished.

This year the members of Senior Dance Club concentrated on having dances in the evening as a money-making project. Their first dance was a formal Valentine's Day dance and was held on February 13.

Officers of the Senior Dance Club this year are Dwight Crouch, president; Jim Mitchener, vice-president; and Linda Roth, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Cloud is still doing a fine job of sponsoring the club.

JUNIOR DANCE CLUB

Officers for the 1953-54 Junior Dance Club were president, Benny Payne; vice-president, Patsy Kierstead; secretary-treasurer, Sammy Williams. Loretta Price, a senior, and Marlene Crouch, a sophomore, were the student leaders.

The members learned the straight waltz, the two-step, and the jitterbug. The Sweetheart Waltz was also learned. This waltz is a routine of several different dance steps. Not all the time was on modern dancing. They also learned the Virginia Reel, Heel and Toe Polka, and Square Dancing. These dances are known as Old Folk Dances. When the new fads, Bunny Hop and Hokey Pokey, came out, we all saw the Junior Dance Club doing them every noon.

Social etiquette was also learned, that is, manners which all young people should practice in their social life, not just when dancing. This training will be very valuable to members as they grow older and as they participate in more social activities.

In order to join this club a student must be in the 7th, 8th, or 9th grade. He must also have a partner of the opposite sex. This cuts out those students who want to join alone. Still the organization had around sixty-six members this year.

New records were bought by this group for the juke box. The records were used at noon by the students who liked to dance. Parties after school also used them. The records and the juke box provided many happy dancing hours for the students.

Mrs. Annalee Cloud was the faculty sponsor. Mrs. Cloud said, "The students in Junior Dance Club are interested and eager to learn." This is necessary in every club to make it a success.

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COMPLIMENTS OF RICH BROTHERS — OLIVER FARM EQUIPMENT, SINCLAIR SERVICE

CONCERT CHOIR

The High School choir, under the direction of Paull McCoy, had a small but well-balanced choir of nineteen members this year. Due to the difficulty in scheduling a choir period, it was finally set that the choir period would be the last twenty minutes of the noon hour and the first twenty minutes of the fourth period. The choir met four days a week at this time.

Several important appearances were made during the year with the most notable being the Music Activities Day at the Friends Church, the Thanksgiving Program given in the auditorium, and the Brotherhood Week Program. They participated also in the Spring Arts Festival. The choir also took many interesting trips to see the Ice Show in Indianapolis and the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra Concert at Purdue University.

Another highlight of the year was the annual City Schools Conference held at Purdue in February. Eight members of the choir were chosen on a competitive basis to sing in the 350-voice chorus. The students chosen to attend were Eddine Lawson, Nancy Leach, Joanne Clement, Nancy O'Brien, Audry Wright, Fred Hayes, Don Kesler, and Larry Gibson. Sara Lea Hayes accompanied the group as an observer.

Officers for the choir were president, Eddine Lawson; vice-president, Sara Lea Hayes; secretary-librarian, Nancy O'Brien; and accompanist, Sara Lea Hayes.

Back row: Junior Dunham, Larry Gibson, Larry Stookey, Don Kesler, George Crawford, Fred Hayes, Audry Wright, Tom Hayes, Jon Sicks, Tom Daily.

Second row: Mr. McCoy, Wanda Colcord, Ruth Blair, Karen Jarvis, Eddine Lawson, Nancy Leach, Mary Ellen Baker, Linda Roth, Joanne Clement, Sara Lea Hayes. Jon Sicks and Linda Roth substituted for Carol Richards and Richard Cosby who were ill.

CONCERT BAND

The Fairmount High School Concert Band, under the able direction of Paull McCoy, had quite a busy and successful year. The band held summer band practice two days a week with one day devoted to practicing marching techniques. The band added much to the entertainment at the football and basketball games in which they participated. The band played for several activities during the year including the Civil Defense Picnic, the January Activities Day at the Friends Church, the annual Spring Arts Festival, and several pep sessions. The band also played for Baccalaureate and Commencement.

The band enjoyed many interesting and entertaining trips during the year. The trip to see the Ice Show at Indianapolis in October will long be remembered by the band students. A concert given at Purdue by the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra was also a highlight for the band members.

The band again sponsored a Band Tag Day in which all members of the grade and high school bands participated. The purpose of Tag Day was to collect money for the Music fund. The Band Boosters Club held a meeting at which new officers were elected. Also at this meeting a band progress report was given.

The band gave an informal "pop concert," February 4, to the public and also to the high school students. A concert of popular and light classical music, it was enjoyed by all that attended. The band's formal concert was given on May 7.

Tom Wood entered the district contest in piano and won a superior rating which entitled him to enter the state contest at which he again, for the second straight year, took top honors.

The band enjoyed their new informal uniforms this year, which consisted of gold corduroy skirts and trousers and black wool sweaters.

Members of the concert band include: Joan Lewis, Karen Main, Patsy Kierstead, Jane Buffington, Janet Hill, Darlene Thompson, Phillip John, Jack Wood, Mr. McCoy, J C Kirk.

Norma Sullivan, Judy Peacock, Nancy Stewart, Larry Wood, Buddy Stitt, Jayne Kirkpatrick, Richard Payne, Terry Theillen.

Tom Wood, Dixie Davis, Dan Garner, Gene Webb, Carolyn Gross, Sally Ivans, Jimmy Smithson, Ruth Blair, Donald Kesler, Mary Jane Casner, Bonny Pettiford, Marceil Polk, Ronnie Wood, Jane Hunt, and Diana Dale.

Fred Hayes, Tim Smith, James Tutorow, Wendell Hollenbeck, Betsy Relfe.

Jay Hunt, Bill Main, David Clement, David Madigan, Denny Stroup, Steve McDaniels, Jere Wysong, Charles Wallace, Bert Bush, Phil Jones, and Jon Sicks.

Band officers were president, Larry Wood; vice-president, Diana Dale; secretary, Norma Sullivan; historian, Phillip John; librarian, Fred Hayes; social chairmen, Dixie Davis and Richard Payne; administrative assistants, Tom Wood and Tim Smith.

TWIRLING CORPS

Five girls acted as the twirling corp this year for the marching band. These girls participated in floor shows at some of the home basketball games. Jane Crist was acting captain of the corps.

Members of this group included Melba Miller, Janet Reasoner, Susan Callahan, Nancy Bush, and Jane Crist. They appear in the picture in the same order as they are named.

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Editor	Linda Ramsey
Parliamentarian	Sandra Boykin
Song Leaders	Jane and Connie Maple
Advisor	Joan Lea McTurnan

Junior F. H. A.

President	Betsy Relfe
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Secretary	Pat Parrill
Treasurer	Jane Hunt
Historian	Lois Jean Seward
Editor	Joanne Clement
Parliamentarian	Joyce Trimble
Song Leader	Nancy Leach
Advisor	Joan Lea McTurnan

These officers lead the two groups of 60 girls through the year under the direction of Miss Joan Lea McTurnan. The clubs held parties, a turkey dinner at Christmas, and attended several state and district conventions. In the spring of 1953 Lynn Beck was elected president of the Northeast District and also served as state vice-president. Linda Ramsey was elected parliamentarian at the spring meeting on the Ball State campus. This spring the club made its annual trip to Chicago for a weekend, visiting places of education and culture.

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Cafeteria Help

Helpers pictured are Joan Miller, Julia Miller, Lois McGlynn, Carolyn Bannister, Mike Riggs, Mrs. Downing, and Mrs. Clifford behind the serving counter, and Arlene Brattian. These six students assisted Mrs. Anna Downing and Mrs. Clarence Clifford, the regular cooks. They prepared and served the noon lunches for the high school students and children from North Ward. Cooperative and efficient work made the cafeteria a relaxing place for all patrons.

Ace and Cliff

Sweeping floors, washing blackboards, tending the furnace, painting, and building necessary articles for the classrooms are just a few of the many duties undertaken by our two expert custodians, Clarence Clifford and Ace Sellers. Mr. Clifford began his years of service at F. H. S. in 1930; Ace joined him 12 years later. Together, these two men work many hours a day fulfilling our needs and keeping our school in excellent condition. We would like to give our sincere thanks to Ace and Cliff, for their work is deeply appreciated by both the faculty and students.

Bus Drivers

Back row: Will Hoppes, Lora Hayden, Ernest Harvey, Bernard Latchaw.

Front row: Jeff Titus, Floyd Murphy. Other drivers not pictured include Dick Jay, Earl Gibson, and Gene Daily.

Safe and pleasant transportation to and from school daily for nearly 200 students is the major responsibility of these men. Many other activities demand their services during the year. Alertness, consideration, and a sense of seriousness for their work characterize these drivers.

SOPHOMORE PLAYS

Students of the sophomore class presented two one-act plays on January 22. They were a drama, "The Talk of the Town," and a comedy, "Couldn't I Kiss You Goodnight?" Adeline Mart Nall and Lewis Berg, class sponsors, directed the plays with the help of two student directors, Diana Dale and Mary Agnes Partridge. A sophomore talent show was presented between the stage productions.

The cast for "The Talk of the Town" was as follows: Martha Simpson, Melba Miller; Emmy Breen, Norma Sullivan; Gerald Simpson, Tom Wood; Bob Mitchell, Milo Brown; Orville Gerton, Mike Karnes; Mrs. Treach, Janet Reasoner; Joe Haskill, David Dumpert, and Cora Robinson, Susan Callahan.

For "Couldn't I Kiss You Goodnight" the cast was: Mrs. Anderson, Jane Crist; Mr. Anderson, Larry Wood; Jane Anderson, Connie Maple; Paul, Don Cruea; and Mary Anderson, Sandra Boykin.

Others who deserve credit for the plays were stage managers: Jack Skinner, Jerry Underwood, Shirley Scott, Mary Jo Mendenhall, Dottie Kendall and Judy Frye; business managers, Phil Mitchener and Melba Miller; prompter, Judy Frye; publicity, Marlene Crouch, Norma Sullivan, Nancy Comer, Connie Maple, and Judy Frye; programs, Melba Miller; ticket committee, Mary Scott, Virginia Chapel, Jane Crist, David Dumpert, Susie Johnson, Norma Sullivan, and Phil Mitchener; ushers, Sue Bayless, Jane Ann Ellingwood, Linda Ramsey, Sue Gaither, Jane Hoke, and Jane Buffington.

JUNIOR PLAY

The juniors gave their class play in the high school auditorium October 29-30. The play presented was a comedy, "Mother Is a Freshman." Adeline Mart Nall was the director, and Janet Lamb was the student director.

The play concerned a mother who got funds to keep her daughter in college by attending the same school. This was possible because her first and middle names were the same as those of a founder of a scholarship fund, Abigail Fortitude. Many comical situations developed since the daughter was a sophomore and the mother was a freshman.

Two of the parts in the play were double cast; they were the parts of the mother and Professor Michaels. The cast was as follows: Abigail, Ramona Stroup and Dorothy Nelson; Susan, Janice Wimmer; Sylvia, Janet Hoke; Professor Michaels, Dick Stroup and Larry Stookey; Dean Gillingham, Phil Jones; Bobo, David Blair; Mrs. Miller, Darelyn Ice; Bunny, Louise Williams; Helen, Marilyn Small; Carrie, Leveda Crouch; Clara, Carol Sue Smithson; Margie, Carolyn Small; Howie, Jim Dunn; Bill, Charles Himelick; and Jack, Bob Blair.

The stage managers were Richard Broyles, Joe Comer, and Don Garner; prompters, Jane Maple and Susie Buller; business manager, Jim Dunn; costumes, Louise Williams; and publicity manager, Mary Lou Clem.

SENIOR PLAY

Romance, tragedy, comedy, and drama were all to be found in the three-act play, "Little Women," which was presented by the senior class in the auditorium on April 8 and 9. This play, also directed by Mrs. Nall, was the dramatical highlight of the year.

Adapted from the novel by Louisa M. Alcott, the play concerns four sisters: Jo, the tomboy; Amy, the little lady; Meg, the housekeeper; and the patient, sweet-tempered Beth. The dramatization included other characters from the novel: Marmee, the girls' mother; Mr. March, their invalid father; the irascible Aunt March; old Mr. Laurence, the wealthy neighbor; Laurie, the ideal of young American manhood; John Brook, the bashful teacher; Hannah, the well-meaning cook; and Professor Bhaer, the German teacher who falls in love with Jo.

The cast was as follows:

Meg	Diana Dale
Jo	Linda Roth
Beth	Mary Lynn Beck
Amy	Judy Sicks
Mrs. March	Shirley Bright
Mr. March	Bill Gaddis
Aunt March	Phyllis Scott
Hannah Mullett	Alice Keller
Mr. Laurence	Bob Hayes
Laurie	Dwight Crouch
John Brook	Marvin Smalley
Professor Bhaer	John Leming
First girl	Loretta Price
Second girl	Phyllis Howell
Third girl	Marlene Yale
Fourth girl	Joy Bethay

Stage managers were Charles Thomas and Harlan Haisley. Prompters were Marlene Yale and Phyllis Howell. The picture of the cast which appears on the opposite page was taken the same day that Mrs. Nall chose the performers, and depicts no actual scene.

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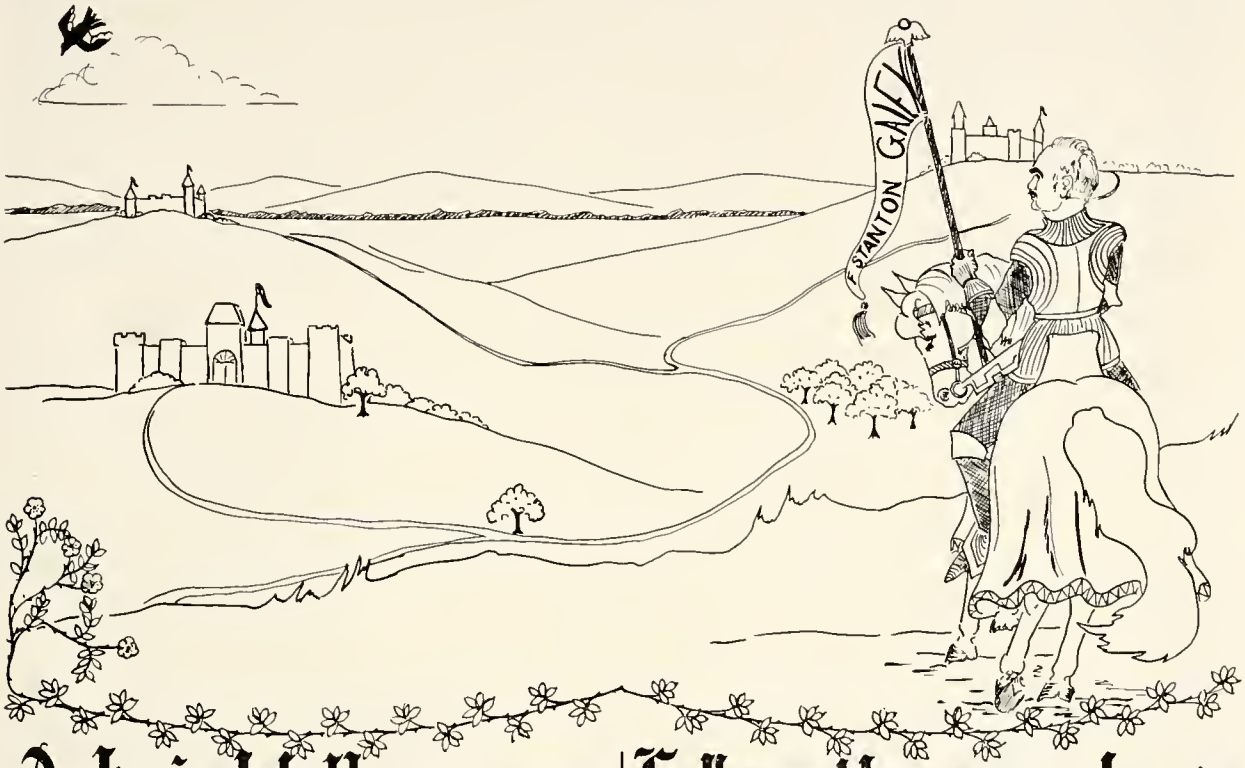

A knight there was and he a worthy man
Who from the moment that he first began
to ride about the world
loved chivalry, Truth,
honour, freedom and
all courtesy.

Full worthy was he in
his liege - lord's war,
And therein had he
ridden (none more far)
As well in Christendom
as heathenesse, and
honored everywhere
for worthiness.

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Bottom row: Ted Haisley, Jerry Horn, Bob Moore, Bill Jacob, Bill Main, Ronnie Smalley, Jon Sicks, Steve Burton, Bert Bush, Jim Smithson.

Second row: Steve Fox, Orval Meyers, Charles Himelick, Roger Pulley, John Jones, Dave Dumpert, Bob Pernod, Phil Burton, Larry Wood, Martin Lee Davis, Pat Eltzroth.

Third row: John Leming, Lester Stamps, Joe Blake, Dwight Crouch, David Moore, Allen Horn, Jim Dunn, Jim Cromer, Joe Comer, Jim Pettiford, Charles Wallace.

Top row: Assistant Coach James Roth, Buss Williams, Charles Gosnell, Phil Smith, Rex Buller, Jim Mitchener, Bob Hayes, Bill Gaddis, and Head Coach James Barrett.

QUAKER FOOTBALL TEAM

The 1953 football Quakers finished the season with a respectable 3-won, 1-tied, 5-lost record. This was Fairmount's first year playing against all varsity competition in 40 years.

The Quaker gridders' best game was played on the eve of September 29 when they invaded Alexandria, where they upset the Tigers, 31-25. Other outstanding games included ones with Royerton and Portland. Although both were lost, the Quakers rolled up a considerable margin in yardage.

Four Quaker players were rewarded for their services for the past year as they were placed on the All-Mississinewa Valley Conference Team. Junior halfback Orval Meyers was Fairmount's only representative on the Conference's first team, while tackle Bill Gaddis, and Jim Mitchener, and guard Joe Comer made the second team.

Jim Mitchener and Orval Meyers led the individual scoring for the season as both scored 34 points. Jim Mitchener also upheld an excellent punting average of 30.9 for the entire season.

All in all, the Quakers had a good season under Coach Jim Barrett and should have another one next year.

1953 FOOTBALL RECORD

Date	Fairmount	Opponent	
September 4	12	Portland	13
September 15	13	Hagerstown	13
September 18	12	Winchester	14
September 25	12	Mississinewa	21
September 29	31	Alexandria	25
October 2	7	Garrett	25
October 9	20	Cambridge City	7
October 16	21	Royerton	28
October 20	14	Whites Institute	0

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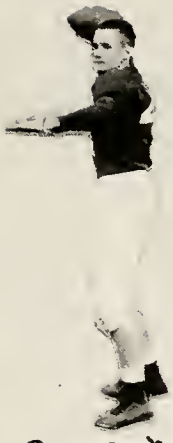

QUARTERBACK
Jim Dunn
"BRAIN AT WORK"

FULLBACK
Ref Beller
"Mort"

QUARTERBACK
Dwight Crouch
"Cricket"

LEFT HALF
Charles Himolick
"Chuck"

RIGHT END
Buss Williams
"Speedie"

LEFT END
Jim Mitchener
"Little Moe"

CENTER
Charles Stonell
"Sos"

CENTER
Phil Smith
"Mutt"

RIGHT END
Joe Blake
"Jo Jo"

RIGHT TACKLE
John Tenning
"Round Boy"

RIGHT GUARD
Joe Conner
"Rough'n Ready"

LEFT GUARD
B. Hayes
"Hayes"

LEFT TACKLE
Bill Geddes
"Atlas"

VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

Back row: Jim Cromer, Bob Blair, Fred Barnhart, Coach Jim Roth, Bill Gaddis, Phil Burton, Jerry Blake. Front row: Joe Blake, Bob Allen, Dick Stroup, Jim Mitchener, Jim Draper, Dwight Crouch.

Coached for the second year by James Roth, this year's Quaker team rolled up an impressive 16-won, 5-lost record, including two tournaments. In the five-team Mississinewa Valley Conference, Fairmount tied with Portland for third place.

QUAKER SKETCHES

MITCHENER—Captain and high scorer of the team, Jim ended his third year on the varsity. Generally controlling both bankboards with his rebounding, and playing at guard, forward, or center equally well, he will leave a large place to be filled through his graduation. Jim played his best games against Summitville and in the sectional against St. Paul's and Marion.

BLAKE—As the team's second leading scorer, Joe was noted for his one-handed set and jump shots. Best free throw shooter on the team, Joe's shooting accuracy and determination will be missed next year. He played his best games against Dunkirk and Frankton.

DRAPER—The team's leading defensive player, Jim also kept his opponents on their toes with his deadly two-handed set shot and jump shot. Jim is a senior who will be missed next year. He played his best games against Sweetser and Eastern.

CROUCH—Smallest player on the squad but seemingly big to many opponents, Dwight was a good ball-handler and kept the defensive alert with his two-handed set shots. Dwight is a senior who played his best game against Mississinewa in the County Tournament.

GADDIS—Most valuable replacement who was out most of the year with a broken arm, Bill was dangerous on the boards. He hit his peak in the sectional against Marion.

STROUP—Most improved player on the team, Dick was a very valuable rebounder and a good defensive man. His hook shot began connecting at the end of the season so his return next year will be welcome. He played his best game against Royerton.

ALLEN—Proving a first-rate replacement, Bob started late in the season to connect on his set shot and proved his value to the team. He also returns next year. His best-played games were with Summitville and St. Mary's.

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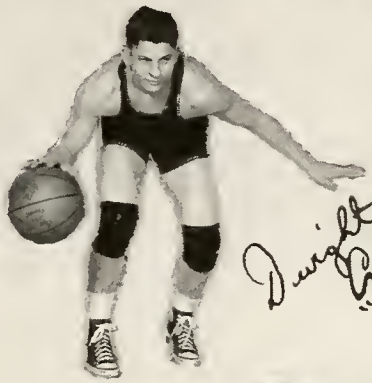
Bill Sudekin
"Atlas"



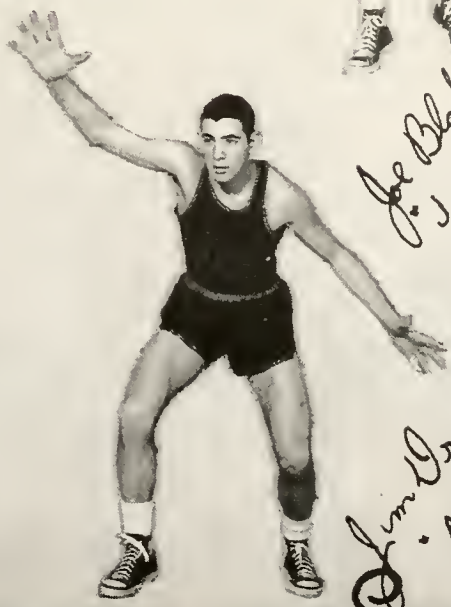
Dwight Crouch
"Cricket"

Bob Allen

Jim Mitchener
"Little Moe"

Joe Blake
"Jolo"

Dick Strump



Jim Draper
"Art"

SECOND TEAM

Back row: Student Manager Kenneth Eccles, Charles Himelick, Phil Mitchener, Bob Pernod, Jim Pettiford, Jack Skinner, Martin Lee Davis, and Student Manager Bob Sheets.
Front row: Jerry Blake, Phil Burton, Fred Barnhart, Larry Wood, Robert Blair, and Jim Cromer.

1953-54 FIRST AND SECOND TEAM SCHEDULES

Date	Fairmount	Opponent		Seconds	Opponent
November 7	58	Swayzee	34	25	27
November 13	58	Sweetser	51	24	41
November 20	50	Jefferson Twp.	37	44	35
November 24	47	Mississinewa	68	26	29
November 25	49	Montpelier	71	31	34
December 4	74	Frankton	46	37	49
December 5	63	Winchester	48	33	28
December 11	73	Summitville	62	33	31
December 15	57	Van Buren	34	24	21
December 18	53	Dunkirk	41	48	28
December 22	68	Pendleton	44	37	33
January 8-9		Grant County Tourney			
	59	1st game Van Buren	39		
	21	2nd game Mississinewa	31		
January 16	63	Eastern	46	33	36
January 23	45	Converse	28	26	18
January 29	67	Lapel	47	29	31
February 5	68	St. Mary's	44	31	28
February 12	44	Summitville	43	26	27
February 20	39	Royerton	41	34	37
February 26-27		Marion Sectional Tourney			
	81	1st game St. Paul's	43		
	46	2nd game Marion	61		

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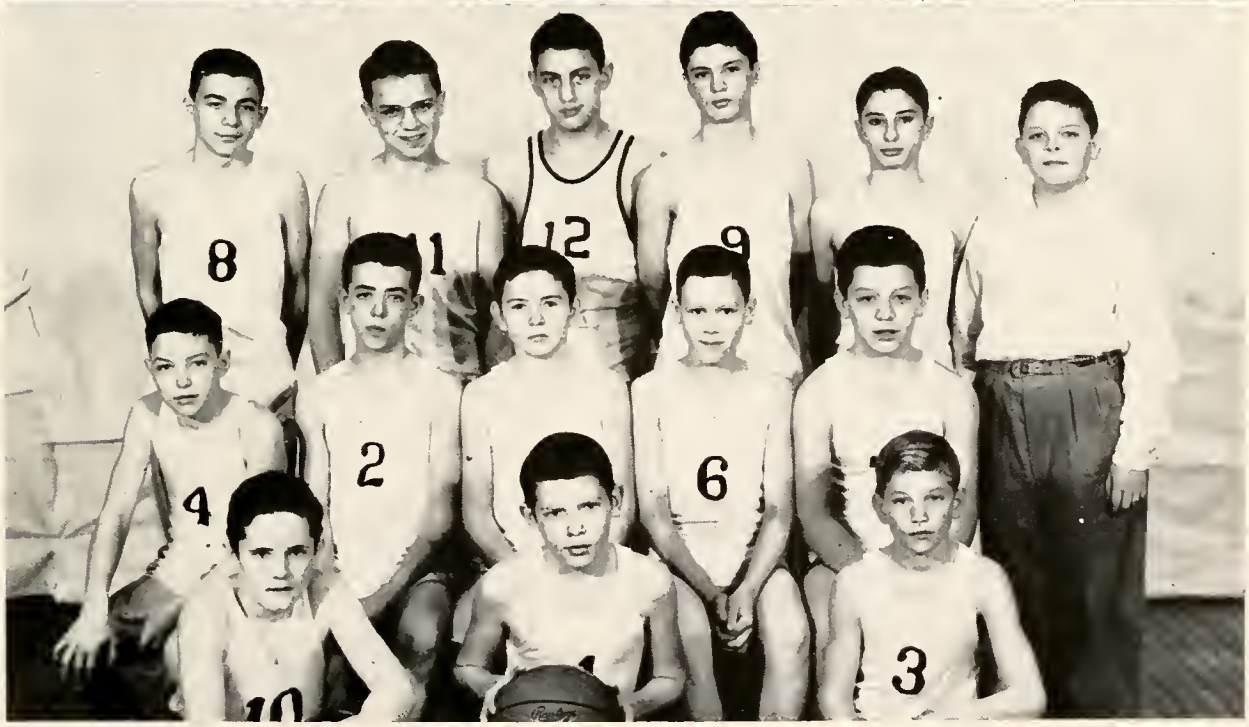
FRESHMAN BASKETBALL TEAM

Kneeling: Raymond Jones, Bert Bush, Jimmy Smithson.
Seated: Student Manager Leon Adams, Dean Anders, Jerry Horn, Charles Woodruff, Richard Payne, Raymond Peters, Student Manager Jim Sheets.
Back row: Coach Earl McAnally, Ronnie Tutorow, Dave Deeter, Bob Moore, Bob Ailes, Bill Jacob, and Ted Haisley.



Seventh and Eighth Grade Basketball Team

Kneeling: David Kendall, Pat Kierstead, Emory Eccles.
Seated: Bob Peacock, Kenny Hoke, Mike Relfe, Ronnie Wood, Bobby Cromer.
Back row: Jay Hunt, Benny Payne, Denny Stroup, Larry Engle, Charles Gaither, and Student Manager Tim Smith. Bill Cloud, coach, was not present when the picture was taken.

COMPLIMENTS OF ENGLE'S GROCERY — NORTH MAIN ST. — FAIRMOUNT

Row 1: John Leming, Bill Gaddis, Bob Hayes, Jim Mitchener, Joe Blake, Rex Buller.
Row 2: Joe Comer, Bob Allen, Orval Meyers, Jim Pettiford, George Miller, Jim Cromer, Larry Stookey.
Row 3: Jim Dunn, Jerry Blake, Phil Mitchener, Mike Karnes, Charles Himelick, Mr. McAnally, Coach.

TRACK SQUAD

The 1953 track squad ended up with a fairly successful season. They won two, dropped two, and placed second in a three-way meet. A total of thirty-five places were won in three relay meets and the sectional meet.

Three boys placed in the sectional for the Quakers, namely Bob Allen, mile run; Jim Mitchener, pole vault; and Rex Buller, 100-yard dash.

Senior tracksters who graduated in the Class of '53 were Jim Reynolds, Jim Wallace, Paul Tolbert, Henry Prine, and Jerry Lewis.

The track season had not started when the annual went to press, but the 1954 team is expected to be strong in almost every event.

1953 TRACK RECORD

Fairmount		**Opponents**	
Fairmount	49	Royerton	73
Fairmount	68 2/3	Eastern	40 2/3
Fairmount	40 1/2	Pendleton	58
(3-way meet)		Westfield	27 1/2
Fairmount	46	Mississinewa	
Fairmount	78 1/5	Hartford City	
(3-way meet)		Dunkirk	12 1/2

	Place	
Muncie Relays	7	One first, three thirds, three fourths.
Converse Relays	4	Two seconds, six fourths, one fifth.
Mississinewa Valley Conference	2	Four firsts, two seconds, six thirds three fourths, one fifth.
Sectional:		Three fourths.

COMPLIMENTS OF CITIZENS STATE BANK

Kneeling: Jack Skinner, Jerry Blake.
Standing: Phil Mitchener, Bob Allen, Mr. McAnally, Larry Stookey, David Barnhart.

CROSS COUNTRY

The cross-country team, though only winning two and losing seven, was successful in respect to its manpower. The team had no seniors but was composed of two juniors and four sophomores. The boys should amass several wins next year through experience gained this year.

Jerry Blake was the top runner with the other boys running right on his heels.

The boys are expected to be quite strong next year.

FALL 1953 RECORD

Team	Score	Team	Score
Montpelier	22*	Fairmount	33
Royerton	19*	Fairmount	36
Marion "B"	32	Fairmount	23*
Alexandria	24*	Fairmount	31
Montpelier	26*	Fairmount	29
Hartford City	31	Fairmount	24*
Eastern	19*	Fairmount	37
			Placing
Marion Invitational		Fairmount	6
Sectional		Fairmount	9

* Indicates low score winner.

COMPLIMENTS OF BUD'S BARBER SHOP

VARSITY

Loretta Price

Marlene Crouch

Lynn Beck - captain

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DARLENE THOMPSON

G. G. A.

Row 1: Marlene Crouch, Shirley Bright, Lynn Beck, Loretta Price, Linda Roth, Jayne Beck, Patty Meyers, Dixie Davis.

Row 2: Sondra Eltzroth,. Phyllis Scott, Judy Sicks, Diana Hale, Janice Wimmer, Ramona Stroup, Janet Hoke, Louise Williams, Carol Sue Smithson, Dorothy Nelson, Dawnetta Dunham, Pat McCormick, Sara Lea Hayes.

Row 3: Mrs. Cloud, Kay Beck, Susie Johnson, Jane Crist, Nancy Bush, Judy Peacock, Betsy Relfe, Jane Ann Ellingwood, Carol Small, Sue Lynn Bayless, Marlene Smalley, Mary Scott, Eddine Lawson, Bonny Pettiford.

Row 4: Jane Maple, Connie Maple, Judy Frye, Mary Jo Mendenhall, Marilyn Carl, Bonnie Ancil, Joyce Holloway, Patsy Parrill, Norma Sullivan, Shirley Thompson, Nancy Comer, Roberta Spence, Darleyn Ice, Carol Thomas, Marilyn Small.

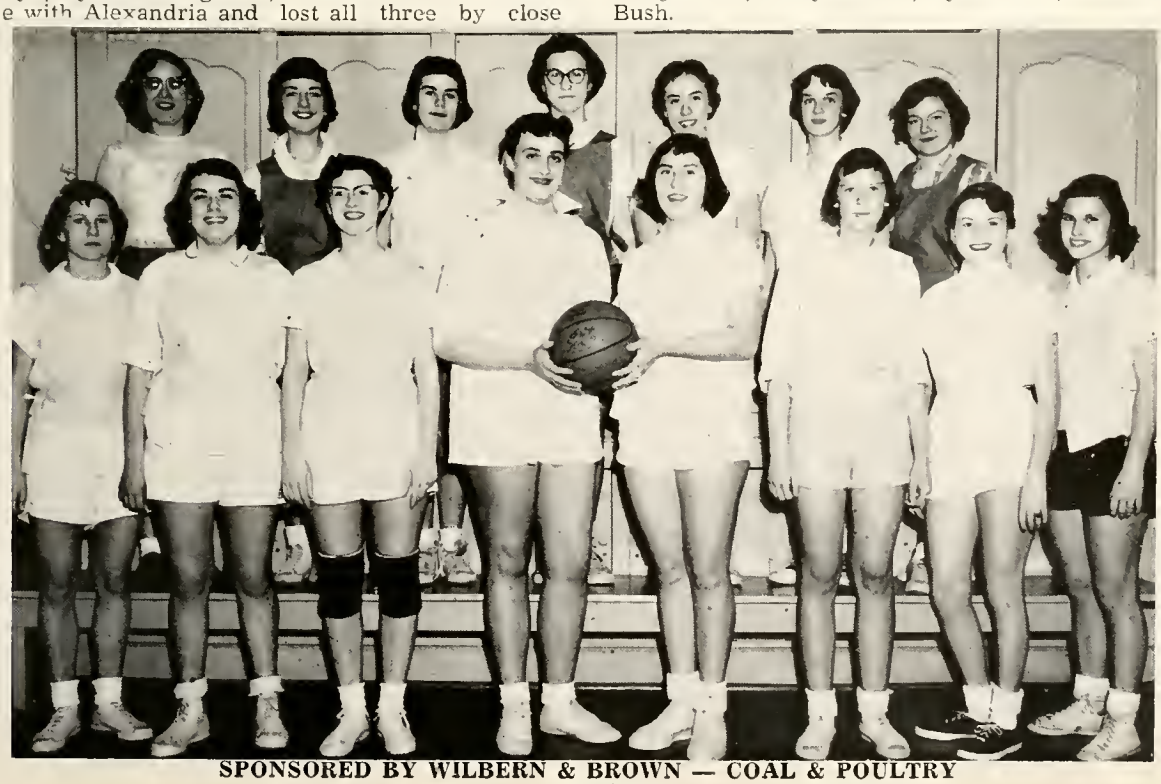
The officers of G. A. A. for the year 1953-54 were Janet Hoke, president; Janice Wimmer, vice-president; Louise Williams, treasurer; Ramona Stroup, secretary.

This year, the girls formed a basketball team under the supervision and coaching of Mrs. Cloud. They played three games, two with Anderson and one with Alexandria and lost all three by close margins.

These girls are as pictured below:

Row 1: Marlene Crouch, Sondra Eltzroth, Norma Sullivan, Ramona Stroup, Carol Sue Smithson, Kay Beck, Loretta Price, Patty Meyers.

Row 2: Mrs. Cloud, Jayne Beck, Diana Dale, Betsy Relfe, Patsy Parrill, Lynn Beck, and Nancy Bush.



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AUTOGRAPHS

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1953 – CALENDAR – 1954

August 24—The beginning of school. Thirty new students and two new teachers were welcomed.
September 5 — New football field inaugurated. Portland won 13-12 decision.
September 14 — Class officers elected.
September 23 — Themis Michos, Harvard University senior, speaks to students.
September 24 — Junior skating party.
October 5 — Juniors choose class rings.
October 5 — State fire marshall, George Van Zantz, addresses the students in a fire prevention program.
October 7 — Sixty-seven students make the honor roll.
October 14 — Junior class engaged Jack's Xylophone Band to give a program to the public.
October 20 — Senior class voted to sell magazines for Curtis Publishing Company to raise money for their trip.
October 22-23 — Students given two-day vacation during Teachers' Institute.
November 7 — Quakers open basketball season by beating Swayzee 58-34.
November 9 — Seniors end magazine sale. Total sales came to $1685.70. Marlene Yale named champion salesman.
November 18 — Sixty-seven students attain Honor Roll.
November 20 — Play and Xen Harvey celebrate Book Week.
November 23 — A style show, given by the Home Economics classes, was witnessed by F. H. A. students.
December 1 — Senior government classes attend a trial at the Marion court house.
December 4 — Mrs. Nall and twelve F. H. S. students went to Purdue.
December 7 — Seniors sponsored a skating party at Idyl Wyld.
December 8-9-10 — Sophomores sponsored two movies at the Palace Theater: "The Queen Is Crowned" and "Dangerous When Wet."
December 14 — A convocation featuring Music and Art were given by Mr. McCoy and Mrs. Kessler.
December 21 — Mr. Marshall of Indianapolis was the main speaker at a Christmas program given for all students.
December 23 - January 4 — School dismissed for Christmas vacation.
January 8 — Grant County Tournament.
January 13 — F. H. S. students get pictures taken for the annual.
January 15-16 — Mr. Galey attended a meeting for superintendents of Indiana, at Turkey Run.
January 19 — News was received by the students of the death of Meredith Peterson, a freshman.
February 1 — Subscriptions for 1954 annual began.
February 4 — Band gives "Pop Concert."
February 13 — Senior Dance Club sponsored Valentine Sweetheart Ball.
February 19 — The Senior class presented variety show.
February 22 — Don Polston gave the first chapel service for the year.
February 25-26-27 — Sectional Tournament.
March 9 — Basketball banquet sponsored by Booster Club.
March 11 — Juniors sponsor skating party at Idyl Wyld.
March 15 — F. F. A. present Liberty Township fire map.
March 19 — Annual Basketball Bounce.
March 26 — Choir concert.
April 1 — Juniors sponsor skating party.
April 8-9 — Senior play.
April 16-19 — Vacation for Good Friday.
April 24 — Junior Senior Prom at Muncie, Ball State Ballroom.
April 29-30 — Annual Spring Festival.
May 7 — End of school for Seniors and band concert.
May 9 — Baccalaureate.
May 10 — Commencement.
May 12 — Autograph Dance.
May 14 — End of school for everyone.
May 15 — Seniors leave on their trip to Washington, D. C., and New York City.